

Final BULLETINS

Would Try Groups For War Crimes

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—The United States has proposed that organizations such as the Nazi Party, as well as individuals, be tried for atrocities and war crimes.

To Get More Gas

TORONTO (CP)—The Evening Telegram said today it had learned an increase in the gasoline coupon value to four gallons from three is to be announced from Ottawa in about 10 days time.

Western Allies Win Parley Vote

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—The United States and Britain won a 33 to 10 decision over Russia today when the Conference steering committee voted against letting representatives of the World Trade Union Congress sit in on committee discussions.

To Keep Wage Levels

WASHINGTON (AP)—The U.S. War Labor Board today announced it will follow a policy of keeping wage rates at present levels during the shift from war to peacetime production.

Light Vote Forecast

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP)—A light vote was indicated in the New Westminster provincial election today as a survey of early balloting showed only a trickle of voters going to the polls.

Outrage On Java

TARAKAN, Netherlands, Borneo (CP-Aetna)—Several hundred girls, nine to 12 years old, were rounded up in Japanese-occupied Java under the authority of the Japanese navy and brought to this island to be violated by Japanese officers, Netherlands authorities here declare.

A number of the girls found by Netherlands liberation troops since the Allied landing on Tarakan are pregnant, the Netherlands authorities say.

Last Remnants Yield

LONDON (Reuter)—The last remnants of the German fleet, including the powerful Prinz Eugen and the Neuenburg, both of which had been shelling Copenhagen only a few days ago, surrendered at 9 a.m., Wednesday, it was officially announced here today.

Wipe Canned Meat Off Civil Market

OTTAWA (CP)—Stocks of canned meat will be virtually wiped off the civilian market tomorrow by a Prices Board order, announced today by Acting Prime Minister Isley, which freezes all such stocks and authorizes government agencies to purchase more than 90 per cent of all meat canned henceforth.

Conscription For Some Years Yet

LONDON (CP)—Prime Minister Churchill told the House of Commons today conscription probably would have to remain in effect in Britain for "some years."

"We have got to settle this matter with due consideration of our difficulties and dangers, which are by no means entirely at an end," he said. "Also we have to consider the very important point of young men going out to relieve their fathers and elder brothers in the duty of garrisoning Germany and in regard to the war in Japan."

Mr. Churchill said it also would be necessary "to continue compulsory recruitment of men for the forces as an essential part of the reallocation of manpower during the interim period in order to bring relief to men who have served for a long period, to enable some of them to return to their homes."

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Wednesday's Temperatures—Min. 45, max. 55. Sunshine, 1 hour 6 min. Rain, .19 in.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

Record B-29 Fleet Hits Jap Islands

How New Yorkers Hailed News Europe War Ended



Jubilant crowds are shown above, gathered around the Statue of Liberty model in Times Square, celebrating the unconditional surrender of Germany.

Weygand, Borotra, Freed From Nazi Camps; Arrested By French

PARIS (AP)—Gen. Maxime Weygand, last commander-in-chief of France's army before the fall of the republic in 1940, was arrested in the night, police disclosed today. The charges still are unspecified.

Jean Borotra, former tennis champion, also was taken into custody.

Both recently were rescued from German prison camps in the Alps.

Gen. Weygand succeeded Gen. Maurice Gamelin in 1940 after the German breakthrough and was French commander at the time of surrender. Previously and afterward he commanded the French army in North Africa.

Borotra was head of the department of sports under the Vichy government.

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GEN. M. WEYGAND

most important cases of collaboration and will soon bring Marshal Petain to trial on a charge of treason.

Weygand, in poor health, is being held in a military hospital. Borotra is under house arrest.

1 of 4 Charred Bodies Found In Berlin Ruins May Be Hitler's

By JOSEPH W. GRIGG JR. (Distributed by the Canadian Press)

BERLIN—At least four bodies, any one of which may be that of Adolf Hitler, have been found by the Russians in Berlin. None of them has been identified as being definitely that of the Nazi Fuehrer.

The bodies of Propaganda Minister Goebbels and his family; of Martin Bormann, successor to Rudolf Hess as Hitler's deputy, and a number of other top Nazis have been found and identified with fair certainty.

For a week the Russians have searched the ruins of the underground fortress where Hitler and his gang of last-ditch Nazi fanatics held out until the destruction of Berlin was complete. Four bodies, blackened and charred, that seem to answer to Hitler, that, according to German officers, signed the surrender terms for Germany on behalf of the Allies at 10:30 p.m. Wednesday.

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Committee Decides On Utility Advisers

VANCOUVER (CP)—The utility experts who will be invited here to advise on the proposed acquisition of the B.C.E.R. as a public utility have been decided on by the committee that conferred with Premier Hart Wednesday, but pending their acceptance no names will be made public, Mayor Cornett, committee chairman, announced today.

Uncio Foundations Laid, Technicians Now At Work

By HARRY P. HODGES Editor of The Times

SAN FRANCISCO—If some of the delegates to the Uncio are keeping their fingers crossed, a few are openly pessimistic, but it is down to the fact that not a few are finding the business to which they are now applying themselves an entirely new experience. For the third week of the parley finds them at grips with intriguing and strange detail—the technical part of the structure on whose design the "Big Five" are in general agreement.

In the committee stage, of course, many divergent views on knotty problems will have to be composed. Their satisfactory solution will demand a good deal of the practical philosophy of give and take. Of this all are fully aware. But it is some of the conferees are manifesting a little apprehension, rather, it is due to fear lest they fall to measure up to such exacting tests. This is not to suggest that the more timid ones find themselves in the icy grip of an inferiority complex. One gathers from casual conversation, on the contrary, that while none is striving for perfection, all are determined that a workable product shall emerge from their deliberations. This presages a finished article that will work.

Nor need anybody here or elsewhere be pessimistic. It has been said almost daily since this conference opened on April 25 that it at the end of three or four weeks the sponsoring powers found themselves sufficiently in accord on the basic objective it is sought to reach, the rest, comparatively speaking, would pose no unsurmountable difficulties.

SOLID FOUNDATION

So far as this correspondent is able to discover, this is the point now reached. Solid foundations have been dug; the main pillars are firmly in position. Metaphorically speaking, the concrete basement and the framework of the ultimate structure is finished. The slides, the roof, and the interior fittings must be put in their proper places by the technicians. This is the work, and much of it will be tedious, which is getting under way in earnest.

To drop the metaphor then, the committees are meeting two, three or four times a day. And while the public is not regaled with full details of their daily accomplishments, progress reports already published in press dispatches indicate that some of the most delicate problems have presented nothing like as many ob-

Channel Islands Nazis Surrender; British Landed

LONDON (Reuter)—German forces on the Channel Islands have surrendered, it was announced here today. The announcement said a British task force had landed on the islands.

The surrender brings freedom after almost five years to the islands, first British possession to fall into enemy hands in this war.

This little cluster of rocky islands in the English Channel was occupied by German troops July 1, 1940, a few days after the collapse of France.

The islands—the largest of which are Jersey, Guernsey, Alderney and Sark—lie just west of the Cherbourg peninsula and 75 miles from the south coast of Britain.

They were by-passed when the Allies invaded Normandy last June and when France was overrun by Gen. Eisenhower's armies they lost any strategic value for the Germans.

Presumably because a difficult amphibious operation would have been necessary to recapture them, the islands were left in enemy hands.

Churchill Postpones Today's Radio Talk

LONDON (CP)—A statement from No. 10 Downing Street today said "owing to his many engagements at this time," Prime Minister Churchill had postponed his scheduled broadcast tonight. He will speak Sunday at 9 p.m. (noon, P.D.T.).

Captured By Allies



KONRAD HENLEIN

See story "Czech Traitor Held" Page 13, which in addition to reporting the seizing of the gauleiter of the Sudetenland describes the clearing of all hold-out German troops from Prague by the Russians.

Governor-General, Princess Alice Arrive Here Today

The Governor-General, the Earl of Athlone, is scheduled to officiate at an investiture at Government House, to inspect military establishments and visit several institutions with Princess Alice, following arrival of the Vice-Regal party by air at Patricia Bay this afternoon.

Her Royal Highness will visit Patricia Bay Friday morning and Lake Hill Women's Institute during the afternoon. His Excellency is scheduled to visit the Royal Canadian Naval Hospital, a H.M.C.S. Naden during the afternoon. A formal dinner is planned at Government House for Friday evening.

Saturday morning His Excellency will leave Government House at 11 for H.M.C.S. Royal Roads and during the afternoon will proceed from there to Gordon Head No. 1 Conditioning Centre.

Princess Alice Saturday morning will visit Moresby House and Moresby II, Esquimalt, and the W.R.C.N.S. station at Gordon Head. During the afternoon Her Royal Highness will visit Royal Jubilee Hospital.

The investiture will be held at Government House at 5:30 Saturday afternoon. His Excellency will present the C.B. to Maj.-Gen. R. O. Alexander, D.S.O., formerly G.O.C.-in-Chief, Pacific Command. Mrs. Ruth Stubbs will receive the D.S.C. awarded Lt.-Cmdr. J. Hamilton Stubbs, D.S.O., listed as missing.

ATTEND CATHEDRAL SERVICE

Sunday morning at 11 the Governor-General and Princess Alice will attend divine service at Christ Church Cathedral.

Her Royal Highness Monday morning at 10:30 will visit the Red Cross Superfluity Shop. His Excellency and Her Royal Highness, accompanied by three aide de camps, will leave Government House at 1 Monday afternoon for the C.P.R. dock to proceed to Vancouver.

No Boost in Liquor Prices in Alberta

EDMONTON (CP)—J. A. King, chairman of the Alberta Liquor Control Board, said today no change in Alberta liquor prices is expected as result of an announcement by Finance Minister Isley of Ottawa Wednesday that "complete control" of the prices is being restored to the provinces. Mr. King said that after study of the announcement he believed it applied particularly to Ontario and Quebec, pointing out that in those provinces liquor is sold at clubs and hotels and these sales have been under jurisdiction of the Prices Board. He was "quite satisfied" the announcement referred to the lifting of these sales restrictions.

Tarakan Conquest By Aussies, Dutch Nears Completion

MANILA (CP)—The Australian-Dutch campaign on Tarakan Island, off Borneo, neared completion today. The Allies held all of Tarakan city, seized strategic Api Hill, and closed in on the Djocata oil field. They already have the big Pamaesian oil field.

Meanwhile the largest Superfortress fleet ever to attack Japan bombed vital targets on the mainland islands of Honshu, Kyushu and Shikoku. More than 400 B-29s pounded vital naval oil storage areas.

Australian and U.S. fliers bombed targets on Borneo, including the former Japanese fleet anchorage at Labuan Island.

The daylight aerial strike on Honshu hit the Tokuyama and Otake fuel storage and manufacturing areas on the Island Sea with the objective of destroying a major source of Japan's vital supply of aviation fuel.

Oil Supply Areas Superforts' Targets

Four separate targets were bombed in this first raid on oil supply areas of Honshu. Three were near the town of Tokuyama, 48 miles southwest of Kure on the Inland Sea. The others were the big Tokuyama naval fuel station.

Also hit was the Tokuyama synthetic fuel factory, near the naval fueling station. This is considered the Japanese army's leading fueling centre. The two were regarded as a single target.

The Otake oil refinery—one of the largest in Japan—was hit. Otake is 27 miles northeast of Tokuyama.

Another target was the Oshima oil storage area—the largest known oil storage unit in Japan proper. Oshima is a small island just west of the northern end of Kyushu, near Shimomaki Strait, western outlet of the Inland Sea.

Bombs were dropped visually in this first Superfort strike in force on Japanese oil resources. The Tokyo radio reported U.S. negro troops were fighting on Tarakan. There has been no indication from Allied sources of U.S. forces participating in the campaign.

Unopposed, U.S. invasion of Samal Island, just off captured Davao City, was announced today as bitter fighting raged on the

Mindanao mainland in the Philippines, where Americans sought to outflank a Japanese force which has virtually isolated a U.S. battalion.

British Carrier Planes in Action

Carrier planes of the British Pacific fleet attacked airfields on Miyakajima and Ishigaki Islands in the Sakishima group, southernmost of the Ryukyu chain—at a cost of two unidentified warships suffering minor damage by retaliating enemy airplanes. British pilots destroyed three enemy aircraft.

The U.S. 10th Army slogged through mud and rain in a battle on the southern Okinawa front. Rain filled even their foxholes as the troops fought over rugged terrain where the Japanese, holed up in tunnels and elaborate caves, are making a death stand. Admiral Nimitz said his men "continued to move south," but gave no details.

21 Miners Perish

SUNNYSIDE, Utah (AP)—Twenty-one miners were killed when a roaring explosion sprayed flames and gas through the Utah Fuel Company's No. 1 mine in this central Utah coal-digging centre.

Two others were missing and believed dead. Seven injured were taken to hospitals. Three escaped injury.

The blast occurred Wednesday at 3:15 p.m., and throughout Wednesday night and early today rescue workers wearing gas masks combed the workings three miles underground in search of bodies.

The blast sent shafts of flame down the tunnels, burning the men and poisoning them with deadly carbon monoxide gas.

Men who escaped attributed their survival to the fact they were working some distance from the actual explosion scene.

Goering to Face Early Trial, Says War Crimes Board Source

LONDON (AP)—Marshal Herman Goering will be brought to trial soon, probably before a high tribunal made up of representatives of the western Allies and Russia, a responsible source close to the United Nations War Crimes Commission said today.

This source said Goering's report of a split with Hitler would make no difference in his treatment and that his case would fall into the category of those against whom more than one country has a claim.

The final decision on the formation of a tribunal to try such cases as Goering's was laid aside before the San Francisco Conference convened until the next

meeting of the Foreign Ministers of Britain, the United States and Russia.

Since then, however, Anthony Eden, Vyacheslav Molotov and Edward Stettinius have had an opportunity to discuss the issue at San Francisco.

Meanwhile, it was learned here that the War Crimes Commission has been discussing the advisability of making public a list of those regarded as war criminals. No decision has been reached, and so far the commission has refused to say even how long the list is.

The status of Rudolf Hess also remained uncertain. The War Office would say only that he is a prisoner of war.

Victoria Reaches \$6,000,000; Far Behind B.C. Loan Drive

Greater Victoria by this evening will be over the \$6,000,000 mark in its drive to have \$6,800,000 and more subscribed to Canada's eighth Victory Loan.

"Just to get our quota is not enough—we must go well over this figure," an official of the Victory Loan organization said today.

Victoria Loan salesmen, at their morning meeting today were addressed by Lieut. Charles Medley, R.C.N.V.R., a former member of the Hongkong police, who was interned by the Japanese for 21 months. He said that the Pacific war will be a long and arduous one, that the Japanese are 100 per cent behind the war and will only give up when overwhelmingly defeated.

Vancouver Island today went over the \$10,000,000 mark and will aim for another \$2,000,000

before the loan officially closes Saturday. Saanich, rural Esquimalt and Gulf Islands unit, over the top Wednesday, will press on. Only Alberni-West Coast and Greater Victoria units have a long way yet to go. To put them over the top will require the co-operation of every citizen.

Complete Vancouver Island figures at noon today follow:

	Subscribed	Subscribed
	7 P. Loan	13 P. Loan
Greater Victoria	\$6,364,150	\$5,979,100
Saanich, Esquimalt		
Total, Gulf Islands	\$63,800	\$65,600
Cowichan-Duncan	\$20,420	\$15,650
Cowichan-Comox	\$57,450	\$65,500
Nanaimo	\$81,200	\$82,550
Alberni-West Coast	\$60,250	\$62,150
Ladysmith	\$2,350	\$22,600
	\$10,029,350	\$10,037,400

Among latest group payroll firms to reach their objective are Ship Chandlers (McQuade's) Ltd., W. R. Menzies & Co., Ramsay Machine Works Ltd., Stewart & Phillips (Victoria) Ltd.

S.O.S. BUY BONDS By SATURDAY



Let's face the facts—Victory Days were defeatist days for Victoria in the 8th Loan Campaign. To date, Vancouver has raised 126% of its quota, Victoria, less than 90%. It's urgent. Do your duty.

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Hear Dr. J. M. Thomas, C.C.F. candidate, Nanaimo-Saanich, C.J. OR, Friday, May 11, 10 p.m.

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Salvage Collection—Week commencing May 14: Shoal Bay (south of the Avenue), Cloverdale and Gorge. Phone E 3413 before May 11.

The Shawigan Beach Hotel is now open for the season. Phone Cobble Hill 48, or Victoria office, 718 View Street, G 4834.

Victoria Hand-Weavers' Guild: Annual birthday exhibition and tea, Saturday, May 12, 2.30 to 5.30. To be opened by Miss Kathleen Agnew. Demonstrations of weaving and spinning. Stall of hand-woven articles for sale. Admission, including tea, 50 cents.

"Why every worker should vote C.C.F."—FO. Murray Bryce, C.J.V.I. tomorrow, 10.15 p.m.

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Halifax Mayor, Naval Chief, Each Blame Other Side for Riots

HALIFAX (CP)—While merchants of Halifax worked behind wrecked and boarded-up store fronts today to salvage the battered remnants of their stocks that escaped in the V-E Day outbreak of riots, fires and looting, naval and civilian officials sought to determine responsibility for the outbreak that resulted in at least two deaths and caused damage placed as high as \$5,000,000 in some unofficial estimates.

Rear-Admiral L. W. Murray, Commander-in-Chief, Canadian Northwest Atlantic, said that "citizens led the assault and encouraged service personnel to take part in the rioting," but Mayor Alan Butler asserted the trouble arose because the services, particularly the navy, were "not in a position to control their own personnel."

The mayor said 4,000 naval personnel were given leave Monday and 4,000 more Tuesday; and that this number alone—not counting the members of other services—was more than the 80-man Halifax police force could handle.

POWER AVAILABLE

Admiral Murray said the maintenance of law and order "is a function of the civil government. Adequate forces have been made available to enforce the law at any time the civil power decides it is necessary to call upon it."

No further outbreaks of violence were reported Wednesday night or early today, as armed city police and strengthened service police patrolled the curfew-bound city. A group of 60 military provosts were flown

from Camp Borden, Ont., Wednesday and 1,000 picked troops in full battle array are standing by in case of further trouble.

The battered city busied itself cleaning up the debris and trying to compute its losses in smashed glass, wrecked interiors and looted goods. The \$5,000,000 damage estimate was made by representative businessmen on the basis of their own losses. Few of the city's principal stores escaped looting and vandalism while only one or two stood this morning with windows intact on the three principal business streets.

LIQUOR STORE LOOTED

Meanwhile, in the Cape Breton mining area at the far eastern end of Nova Scotia, disturbances broke out anew in the Whitney Pier district of Sydney—where Mayor D. J. MacLean Wednesday night proclaimed a 9 p.m. curfew effective until further notice—and the mining town of New Waterford 12 miles away.

Most of the trouble was caused by civilians, who smashed and looted the New Waterford liquor store before they were dispersed, while a mob in Whitney Pier attacked the liquor store, but were driven away by hurriedly-called police squads.

Police meanwhile continued their drive to recover as much of the stolen loot as possible and take action against the guilty. In Halifax police court Wednesday a record docket of 84 cases was heard by Magistrate R. E. Inglis and 10 persons were fined sums ranging from \$5 to \$100 for their part in the riots—most for illegal possession of liquor.

Tattered Repatriates Shed Tears of Joy

"They came off the boat in tatters and with tears in their eyes," said Miss Yvonne Ramus, of the British Red Cross, speaking of the Canadian repatriates reaching Los Angeles after years spent in Japanese internment camps in the Philippines.

Some of them were routed to Victoria.

Miss Ramus is at the Empress Hotel after accompanying the 55 Canadians, men, women and children, freed with thousands of others when the American forces overran the Philippines.

"The women," said Miss Ramus, "wore wooden shoes supplied by sympathetic Filipinos and the men were clothed in remnants of old uniforms. Their luggage, what little there was, was bound with rope in canvas and sackcloth bundles."

"The Red Cross took over on their arrival, supplying hotel accommodation and making arrangements in getting the ex-internees home to loved ones as efficiently and quickly as possible."

"Morale was high," she said. "The children were in better condition than the adults, however, as parents had deprived themselves for their children of the pitiful food ration provided."

A priest from Montreal, originally 210 pounds in weight went down to 98 pounds on the less-than-starvation diet, explained Miss Ramus.

All had suffered from beri-beri. Red Cross parcels that had been sent to the camps, were stacked, unopened and undistributed.

DREAMED OF FOOD
They went to bed thinking food, sleep, dreaming food, and awakened to the ever acute pangs of hunger.

When Americans went into Manila, some of the prisoners ate so ravenously, it killed them, said Miss Ramus.

The children, unused to their freedom, turned down cake and ice cream offered them by Red Cross officials, as their systems, so long accustomed to dry fish and rice, couldn't stand rich foods.

NET BY MACKENZIE KING
Prime Minister King took time out from the conference to meet the repatriates on arrival in California and spoke with each one.

Nuns were among the missionaries released, Miss Ramus said. They were allowed to teach reading, writing and arithmetic only to the children in the camps. Pages in textbooks referring to any of the Allied Nations, to God and other subjects forming the basis of freedom, were glued together or torn out. Everything was censored.

When passing guards in the compound, prisoners had to bow. This infuriating demand was an

order that drew punishment if not obeyed.

Husbands and wives were not allowed together, and there was absolutely no privacy, men and women being herded into barrack-like rooms.

Before release, prisoners were forced to sign statements that they would be silent regarding treatment.

Mrs. R. C. S. de Sate, Canadian Red Cross field organizer, also here, met the repatriates at Bellingham, Wash. She commented on the graciousness of both U.S. and Canadian customs officials who made entry to this country possible with a minimum of trouble or delay to the prison-fatigued group.

EXPECTED HERE

Mrs. Francis Costain was met by her mother, Mrs. Grace Mahon, Craig Orchards, Royal Oak, and is expected to arrive in Victoria shortly.

Others due here in the near future are Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Brooks, and their three children, Leonard, Kenneth and Rose, to Miss Florence Brooks, 2838 Shakespeare Street. Latest word from the Brooks' family state they are still in Los Angeles.

Llewellyn R. Duncan, originally bound for Victoria, is now thought to have been re-routed to England as his wife, Mrs. Ellen Duncan, left here for overseas a fortnight ago.

Miss Elsie Hallows, daughter of Mrs. Francis Hallows, the Priory, Pemberton Road, stopped off at the point of disembarkation and it is thought she may be home soon.

Mrs. Barbara S. McCann and son, Leonard, when last heard from by Jack Hinton, 985 Island Road, had crossed the border.

Friends of Ernest Heybrook, 530 Lotbiniere Avenue; Kenneth Crabbe and Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Page, though known to have landed, are still unheard from.

Mr. and Mrs. George Main, who were expected to visit Mrs. Main's father, C. Elmsdell at Oak Bay Beach Hotel, have gone through to Halifax; it was learned through the Red Cross.

Nanaimo Boy Tries To Open Bomb; Dies

NANAIMO (CP)—Fourteen-year-old Norman Madsen was killed, and the interior of his home shattered late Wednesday when he attempted to open a small arms mortar-type bomb with a pair of pliers. His parents were out at the time of the blast.

Police said the youth was in his bedroom alone, working on the bomb. The explosion demolished everything in the room. All windows in the house were shattered.

It was not known where he obtained the bomb. Fragments picked up indicated it was about 10 inches long.

The boy was a prominent member of the Nanaimo Sea Cadets.

Opening campaign meeting—FO. Murray Bryce and Mrs. Steeves, M.L.A., Victoria High School, Monday, 14th, 8 p.m.

Round-up

By TOM MERRIMAN

AS A RESULT of Canadian Army medical research the old practice of starvation and smaller-than-normal diets for persons suffering the effects of wounds, accidents or operations has been scrapped. Milkshakes, egg noggs, each containing six egg whites, milk, orange juice, brewer's yeast and ground raw liver are included in some diets. When the patient is ready to leave hospital he should be ready to go back to work, instead of having to take several weeks to build himself up again, according to the experts.

TRAVEL TO France from Canada, formerly restricted to reporters and businessmen, has now been widened to permit a limited amount of accommodation to former residents of France evacuated during the war who wish to return for permanent residence, and to persons who wish to go for urgent compassionate reasons and do not intend to return to Canada for an indefinite period.

LAST figures issued by the Bureau of Statistics show British Columbia with 20.9 per thousand and Ontario with 20.7 had the lowest birth rate of any of the provinces of Canada. Yes, Quebec led with 28.6. The yearly baby crop runs approximately a quarter of a million. In every province it has been higher during the war years.

OUT of 16,988 claims for unemployment insurance benefits in Canada in one month, the commission rejected approximately one in every five. Reasons were leaving employment without just cause, insufficient contributions, discharged for misconduct.

EVERYBODY would like to hear more in a hurry about this from London. "British scientists have discovered a selective weed-killer which, they say, will greatly reduce costs and increase yields of food crops. It kills weeds while preserving crops and grass. Another item from London indicates the way Victorians line up for chocolates is the way Londoners line up for Canadian apples."

FROM Birmingham, England, comes the information Very Rev. J. H. Richards, provost of Birmingham Cathedral, wants surface air-raid shelters removed from the cathedral churchyard on moral grounds. "They have never been used for the purpose for which they were built and create a seclusion that, from a moral point of view, is highly undesirable," he says.

College C.O.T.C. Return From Camp

Victoria College C.O.T.C. group, "I" Company, under Maj. R. T. Wallace, returned Wednesday from two weeks' intensive training in conjunction with cadets of U.B.C. at No. 112 Basic Training Centre, Chilliwack.

Training embraced regular army routine, and students had the opportunity of viewing activities of engineers in bridgework, demolition work, booby-traps, and going through the assault course.

Army day began at 6 a.m. and finished at 4.45, and one night scheme was held.

A sports meet, first Saturday at camp, brought second place to "I" Company competing against the nine other companies on hand.

V-E Day was celebrated by a special parade when Capt. A. Lord, veteran of the last war, and Maj. R. Bonner, Seaforts, wounded veteran of this war, addressed students.

A 40-piece student band under CSM. A. Delemont, originator and conductor of the Kitsilano Boys' Band, played at ceremonies.

Cadet N.C.O.'s from the college included CSM. Don Oliver, Sgts. S. McColl, C. Denham and Don Robertson.

Camp officer commanding was Col. J. M. Strum, M.M.

Lay Lesser Charge Against Auto Driver

The charge of manslaughter against LAC Ivel Kenneth Dalziel, Victoria airman, was withdrawn in city police court today at the request of Claude Harrison, city prosecutor, and a lesser charge of dangerous driving laid against the airman. Mr. Harrison said the lesser charge, laid as an indictable offence, was made, as he felt, on reading the evidence placed before the coroner's jury, such action was warranted.

H. W. Davey, K.C., defence counsel for Dalziel, elected summary trial on the new charge, and entered a plea of not guilty. Thursday was set as the day for trial. Magistrate H. C. Hall noted the \$2,500 bail posted on the manslaughter charge was no longer necessary, and he released Dalziel to the custody of his superior officer.

Honors Graduate

C. Norman Willis, who graduated from U.B.C. with honors in mechanical engineering to win his degree as a bachelor of applied science. He is the son of Ald. and Mrs. F. A. Willis, 414 Simcoe Street.

Chinese Crumbling Japs' Hunan Line

CHUNGKING (AP)—The entire Japanese line in western Hunan province where the enemy has aimed an offensive at the U.S. airbase of Chihkiang has been crumbled by a general Chinese counter-offensive, the high command announced today.

The enemy's lines fell apart at 4 a.m. Wednesday following the launching of the Chinese counter-offensive Tuesday morning, the Chinese said. Chihkiang is 250 miles southeast of Chungking. More than 2,600 Japanese dead were reported counted in an area 55 miles east of Chihkiang, from which the 14th Air Force has been harrying Japanese communications along the China-Indo-China corridor.

A dozen places where the beaten enemy burned his dead in traditional Japanese fashion were discovered.

Urge Speed-Up for Closing Days Of 8th Loan to Take Up Slack

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada's 8th Victory Loan Campaign, disrupted by victory celebrations, recovered somewhat Wednesday with total sales of \$77,994,550, but the cumulative total still is behind the last loan, National Headquarters announced today.

Wednesday's purchases compared with \$69,294,850 on the corresponding day of the 7th Loan last fall. The cumulative total now stands at \$1,052,270,950 against \$1,119,576,500 at the same stage of the last campaign.

The three-week campaign, which has an objective of \$1,350,000,000, is scheduled to end Saturday.

200,000 TAGGED

Sales workers and community committees across Canada buckled down to make up a deficit of some 200,000 in the number of applications which to date total only 1,848,120, compared with 2,032,421 at the corresponding point in the 7th Loan.

"Immediate co-operation of the Canadian public as well as of Victory Loan organizations is necessary if the slack is to be taken up," said a headquarters spokesman. Messages urging redoubled efforts were sent Wednesday night to provincial chairmen.

Latest city to go over the top in the contest for general canvass and payroll, Vancouver announced \$25,554,850 for 10.1 per cent. It now is aiming at \$31,082,750.

B.C. Yukon as a whole has \$58,070,350 for 9.7 per cent of quota. Japanese in relocation camps at Lillooet and district have invested \$5,000, while Enderby in the Okanagan Valley has \$121,200 for over 200 per cent and is flying five honor pennants.

MANY NEAR QUOTA

Other centres nearing 100 per cent in the general canvass and payroll competition for the sterling silver rose bowl are Three Rivers, Que., 94.7; Sherbrooke,

85.1; Saskatoon, 81; Quebec, 80.9; Moncton, N.B., 77.3; Fredericton, 76.3; Saint John, N.B., 75.75; Regina, 74; Moose Jaw, Sask., 71; and Prince Albert, Sask., 69 per cent.

6 U-Boats Seen While Surrendering

LONDON (CP)—R.A.F. command planes up to dawn today had sighted six German submarines in the act of surrendering, an Air Ministry statement said. Constant patrols were being maintained, the statement said, as the U-boats proceeded to ports in conformity with the unconditional surrender of Germany.

The first German U-boat to surrender to the Royal Navy in British waters, in accordance with the German capitulation terms, was escorted into Weymouth Bay by two British sloops today.

The U-boat—the U249—had five officers and 43 ratings aboard.

Tax Sums Paid**But Company Fined**

VANCOUVER (CP)—Failure of Smith and Osberg Company to remit deductions from employees' salary cheques to the Receiver-General of Canada as required by the Income War Tax Act, resulted in their being convicted and fined \$250 by Magistrate W. W. B. McInnes in police court Wednesday.

Darrell T. Braidwood, acting as special prosecutor for the government, said the default amounting to \$11,149 has been paid in full to the government.

Although the amount had been remitted 10 days ago, the defendants in the past had failed to acknowledge communications from the government, he said. "It's certainly an infraction,"

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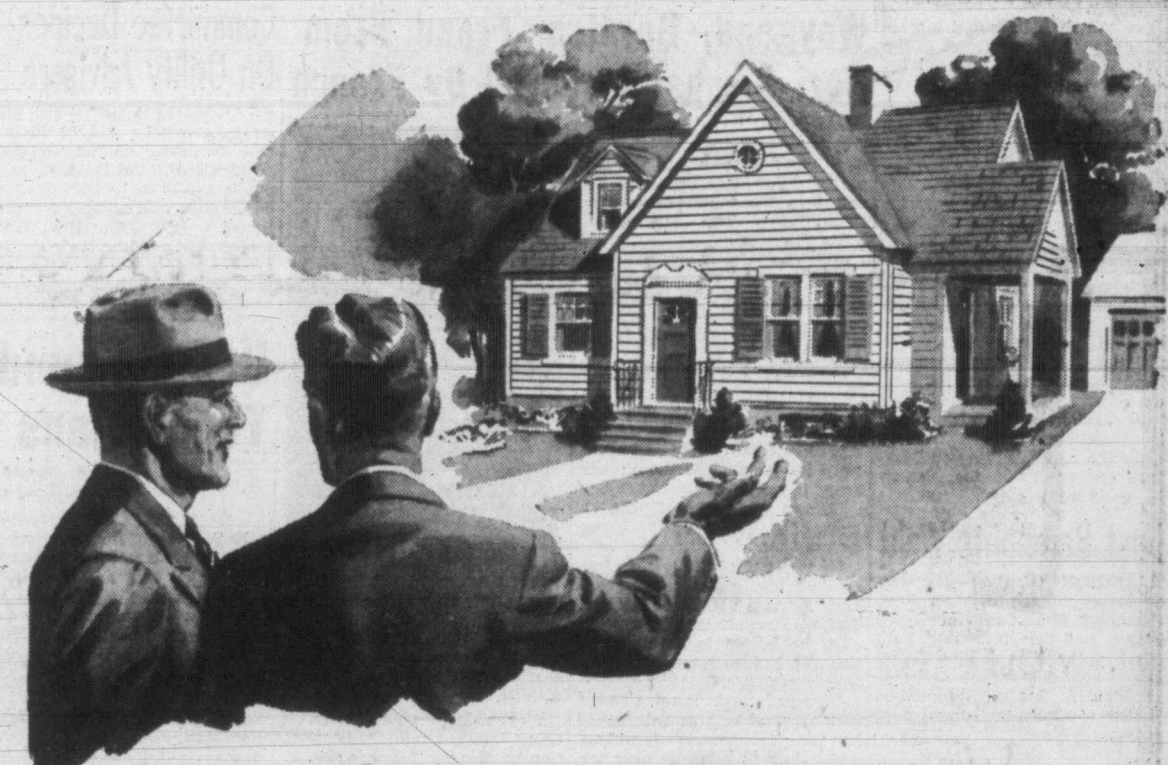
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said Magistrate McInnes, "but as the sum is now paid it does not look so serious."

Currency Export Fine

VANCOUVER (CP)—Convicted of attempting to export \$178 in Canadian currency and attempting to deceive a customs officer, John E. Coventry was fined \$25 on each count by Magistrate W. W. B. McInnes in police court Wednesday.



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Kesselring, Prisoner, Surprised No Last-Ditch Hold-Out By Hitler

SAALFELDEN, Austria (AP)—Field Marshal Albert Kesselring, the last commander of the German armies in the west, is "most surprised" that Hitler did not lead his Nazis into a planned holdout in the fortified underground tunnels of the Salzburg-Berchtesgaden area.

Kesselring, found by U.S. troops aboard his special train in the Tyrolean Alps, and awaiting completion of arrangements for his formal surrender, said he is "absolutely certain" Hitler is dead.

It had been known Kesselring was in this area, where his predecessor, Field Marshal Gerd von Rundstedt, Reichsmarschal Goering and other prominent Germans were taken prisoner.

Kesselring said he last saw Hitler about the middle of April in Berlin.

"He appeared in excellent health," Kesselring added. "It was two or three days before the Russian attack."

"I had an opportunity to speak with the chief of staff of the 6th Air Army today, and he was at

to see that your life is a purposeful one."

He said more than 2,000 graduates and students of the university had served in the various armed forces and more than 200 would never return from the war fronts.

"In no small measure have the graduates of the University of British Columbia contributed to the successes in the various theatres of war, in the air, on the ocean, on the field and quietly, unassuming, in the laboratory. The knowledge imparted within these halls has been marshaled to Canada's war effort."

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U.B.C. Graduates Urged to Dedicate Themselves to Peace

VANCOUVER—At the University of British Columbia annual congregation this afternoon, Premier John Hart urged the second largest graduating class to dedicate itself to the great, constructive work of peace.

"It will be your duty to be certain that whatever you do will not only be for your own personal advantage but also for the welfare of mankind," said the premier.

Officiating at his first spring congregation was Chancellor E. W. Hamber, formerly lieutenant-governor of B.C., who conferred degrees on 369 students during the graduating ceremony. Class of '45 was larger by 50 than last year's class and was a scant 18 students short of the record established in 1940 when 387 students received degrees.

VICTORIAN HEADS CLASS

Heading the class was a young physicist and mathematician of great promise—Charles D. Maunsell of Victoria—who claimed a long list of scholastic triumphs by winning the Governor-General's medal. It was the first time in three years that a man has won this award.

The Earl of Athlone personally witnessed the presentation of his medal. During the graduating ceremony, after which he left for Victoria, the Governor-General received the highest honor of the university—the degree of doctor of laws, honoris causa.

Premier Hart told the graduating class that everywhere in B.C. hidden wealth awaited the hands of those with vision and purpose to find it and develop it.

"As development continues to take place," he said, "new communities will spring up—These settlements will bring with them more opportunities and more problems to engage your attention. Increased medical care; the need for legal counsel; the services of engineers to develop essential public services; marketing of merchandise; establishment of industries; teaching and social welfare work; and a multitude of other activities are created by such progress."

He said the government had sought to stimulate a desire among British Columbians to improve their condition. He mentioned as projects to improve the standard of living the development of hydro-electric power, industrial expansion, assistance to farmers in clearing land, and financial aid to prospectors.

B.C. READY TO AID

"In whatever field development can be encouraged you will find the government ready to assist," he said, "but we can only progress as fast as the people are ready for such development."

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\$75	\$6.75	\$6.75	\$6.75	\$6.75	\$6.75	\$6.75	\$6.75
\$100	\$9.00	\$9.00	\$9.00	\$9.00	\$9.00	\$9.00	\$9.00
\$125	\$11.25	\$11.25	\$11.25	\$11.25	\$11.25	\$11.25	\$11.25
\$150	\$13.50	\$13.50	\$13.50	\$13.50	\$13.50	\$13.50	\$13.50
\$175	\$15.75	\$15.75	\$15.75	\$15.75	\$15.75	\$15.75	\$15.75
\$200	\$18.00	\$18.00	\$18.00	\$18.00	\$18.00	\$18.00	\$18.00
\$225	\$20.25	\$20.25	\$20.25	\$20.25	\$20.25	\$20.25	\$20.25
\$250	\$22.50	\$22.50	\$22.50	\$22.50	\$22.50	\$22.50	\$22.50
\$275	\$24.75	\$24.75	\$24.75	\$24.75	\$24.75	\$24.75	\$24.75
\$300	\$27.00	\$27.00	\$27.00	\$27.00	\$27.00	\$27.00	\$27.00
\$325	\$29.25	\$29.25	\$29.25	\$29.25	\$29.25	\$29.25	\$29.25
\$350	\$31.50	\$31.50	\$31.50	\$31.50	\$31.50	\$31.50	\$31.50
\$375	\$33.75	\$33.75	\$33.75	\$33.75	\$33.75	\$33.75	\$33.75
\$400	\$36.00	\$36.00	\$36.00	\$36.00	\$36.00	\$36.00	\$36.00
\$425	\$38.25	\$38.25	\$38.25	\$38.25	\$38.25	\$38.25	\$38.25
\$450	\$40.50	\$40.50	\$40.50	\$40.50	\$40.50	\$40.50	\$40.50
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Britain Ends V-E Day Celebration, Turns Attention to War On Japs

LONDON (AP)—Prosecution of the war against Japan topped the tasks facing Britain as she settled down today after a joyous celebration of V-E Day, and shouldered her share of the tremendous problems connected with the care and rehabilitation of liberated continental countries and the occupation of vanquished Germany.

With the war in Europe finished, it is expected British fighting men and equipment will be transferred as rapidly as possible to the Far East, where other British land, sea and air forces already are in action.

Meanwhile the government is rushing to completion plans for support of United Nations relief and rehabilitation work in feeding and sheltering the European continent's war-stricken millions. Organization of the commission which will control the British-occupied portion of Germany is already nearly complete. It has been speculated in London that either Field Marshal Alexander or Field Marshal Montgomery may head the British commission.

Britain also is prepared to start a postwar program at home to aid thousands of bombed-out families. Approximately 30,000 pre-fabricated houses are among those that will be erected for civilian war victims.

Government and business leaders already have started making plans to recapture Britain's share of world trade, and a keen race with U.S. businessmen for world markets is foreseen.

The rejoicing and celebrating which began with the first news of the end of the war Monday, continued far into the early hours this morning. Celebrants thronged the streets Wednesday night. Crowds packed London's West End, watching and taking part in the general hilarity.

King George and Queen Elizabeth went out on the roof of

Danes Given Back Port of Copenhagen

COPENHAGEN (Reuter)—The port of Copenhagen was formally handed over to the Allies by the Germans Wednesday night, and it was immediately formally handed back to Denmark.

Two British cruisers, with four destroyers, had arrived during the afternoon. Nearby, the German cruisers Prinz Eugen and Nernberg, and a number of destroyers, troopships and merchantmen lay waiting a decision as to what is to be done with them and their crews.

Soldiers Bemoan Spit'n' Polish Rule

UTRECHT, Holland (CP)—Observance of V-E Day in liberated West Holland was probably the driest celebration ever for Canadian soldiers now stationed in the area and getting acquainted with the civilian population.

There was no official celebration, but impromptu parades were organized around volunteer accordion and drum players in several large cities.

The soldiers, meanwhile, are pondering their immediate future.

"The fighting is over and we've got to return to soldiering," moaned Spr. G. V. Williams of Vulcan, Alta., referring to the resumed emphasis on spit and polish and drilling—practices neglected during campaigns.

Molotov Visits Edmonton En Route

EDMONTON (CP)—Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov of the Soviet Union left Edmonton today for Russia en route home from San Francisco, where he was attending the United Nations' World Security Conference. He arrived Wednesday afternoon by plane.

Mr. Molotov gave no statement, had no comment to make. He stayed at the U.S. air base Wednesday night.

The Russian Foreign Minister and his party left early this morning aboard a U.S. Army Air Forces' plane manned by a U.S. crew.

He was met on arrival by V. Zarubin, Russian Ambassador to Canada; Air Vice-Marshal T. A. Lawrence, R.C.A.F.; Brig. Gen. Dale V. Gaffney, Commanding General of the U.S. Alaskan Division, Air Transport Command, and other ranking Canadian and U.S. air force officials.

Mr. Zarubin left for Ottawa later today.

Boeings to Hire 300

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- Gemey Talcum.....30c and 65c
- Gemey Bath Powder.....1.25

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AIR PATTERN FOR JAPAN

REPORTS COMING REGULARLY FROM
newsmen now in Germany emphasize
the total destruction the Allied air forces
brought to Berlin. With the exception of
the more remote suburbs, those dispatches
say, the former Reich capital has ceased to
exist as a town, has been completely wiped
out. That obliteration has been effected in
spite of very great concentration of defences
there against air assault.

The fact is recapitulated to underscore
once again the fate in store for Tokyo and
other big industrial cities of the Japanese
homeland. Today's report from Manila
states the largest Superfortress fleet ever
to attack Japan bombed vital targets on the
mainland islands of Honshu, Kyushu and
Shikoku. More than 400 B-29's pounded
vital naval oil storage areas.

A month ago, Maj.-Gen. Curtis E. LeMay,
head of the 21st Bomber Command, stated
the destruction of Japan's industry by air
blows alone was possible. He added the
idea that many more of the air giants would
be necessary to accomplish that task. Dur-
ing the period which has intervened, world
events have made it possible to increase the
output of the specialized planes for such
activity. Concentration both on production
and targets can now be undertaken that
was impossible while two wars were in
progress.

The air pattern appears clear. The rubble
that was Berlin stands forth as the example
of what can be accomplished from the skies
and, if general opinion is correct, Berlin
was better protected than are the flimsier
centres of the last remaining enemy.

MOLOTOV GOES HOME

FROM THE TIME HE ARRIVED TO THE
time he left the San Francisco Con-
ference, the U.S.S.R. Foreign Minister M.
Molotov, proved generally co-operative and
extremely realistic. There is no doubt that
the seating of the Argentine delegates by
a large majority of votes was regarded by
him as a regional decision and therefore
the Russian point of view that the problem
of Poland was also a regional matter was
strengthened. Both problems could thus be
regarded as a matter of behavior in con-
nection with the larger problem of world
peace. If Argentina were admitted before
giving any further indication of a real change
of heart, the U.S.S.R. could well argue why
not deal with the Polish question on the
same basis and admit the Russian-sponsored
government of Poland? After all, the argu-
ment would proceed, the admission of the
Argentine is due to its place in the Pan-
American bloc or regional interest; there-
fore the admission of the Polish govern-
ment now should be regarded as a conces-
sion to the Russian regional point of view,
which was backed by most of the European
delegation.

But M. Molotov took his defeat on this
point with good grace. Again and again
he showed that the main point was to or-
ganize the machinery to maintain the peace,
to lay the foundations for peace now and
to allow the details by which the General
Assembly must function to be worked out
later. He left after he was assured in his
own mind that the foundations had been
well and truly laid in San Francisco. The
U.S.S.R. delegation remains to start con-
struction.

And among the ruins of Berlin, almost
simultaneously, Marshal Zhukov concluded
his toast to "the continuing friendship
between Great Britain and the Soviet Union.
That friendship is necessary for the future
of mankind."

RESPONSIBILITY FOR BENEFITS

TO HUNDREDS OF STUDENTS AT VIC-
toria College and the University of British
Columbia, publication yesterday of ex-
amination results marked officially another
step in their progress. The names in the
pass lists are formalities denoting achieve-
ment of a satisfactory standard in the vari-
ous subjects on which they have been ex-
amined. But that is only the outward trap-
pings of something which has gone deeper.
That is simply an approval stamp on a cer-
tain phase of their development.

To some it will be a union ticket, entitling
them to work at a higher rate of pay at
certain vocations than they could have
claimed had they not succeeded in their
papers. To some it is a certificate of pro-
ficiency in the operation of the mental tools
with which they have been equipped.

But it is more than that. The very fact
that they have completed their scholastic
year brings with it an obligation to use the
knowledge they have gained not only in the
specialized fields for which they have
studied, but to a wider understanding of
humanity, a finer weighing of those factors
which increase a nation's stature. Their
brains have been trained not just to improve
their abilities to make a living, not just to
carry forward any specific branch of art or
science, but to expand their general outlook.
Until they appreciate their responsibilities,
they cannot make full payment for the priv-
ileges of higher education which have been
accorded them.

Unless they differ very materially from
virtually every other graduating class, they

will consider the world their oyster. And so
they should, with some reservations. They
are the citizens of today as well as tomor-
row. They move out into a democratic world
from which some at least of the clouds are
lifting. And to them falls the lot not only
of helping to bring about the peace, but of
making the world at peace a better place
than it has been. They will accomplish that
objective both by doing well the job for
which they have been fitted and by bringing
to their general views the broader perspec-
tive which their education should have given
them.

Those are points students will no doubt
keep in mind as they continue to receive
congratulations for their scholastic achieve-
ments. They are accomplishments which
reflect particular credit on Victoria this year.
In addition to maintaining the usual high
standard at the College, the graduates of
that institution have gathered to themselves
many laurels at the University of British
Columbia. Chief among these is the acad-
emic triumph of Charles D. Maunsell, who
has completed a career of scholarship by
heading the graduating class of 1945.

GOERING SURRENDERS

HERMANN GOERING, WHO WON
more decorations and fished more loot
from Hitler's Third Reich than any other
Nazi party leader, was probably the most
popular of them all. The grossness of his
body was matched by the callousness of his
soul, the geniality of his manner by the cunning
of his mind. He told the Americans to
whom he surrendered that he was arrested
and sentenced to death by Hitler, but if that
is true it is a reflection on the ability of
Himmler to make use of any opportunity.
Between those two there was no love lost.
The only difference between them was
that Goering robbed the people Himmler
butchered; Goering laughed while Himmler
tortured.

It was Goering who was credited with
firing the Reichstag as a pyre to the parlia-
mentary system in Germany. He was
credited with the murder of General
Schleicher to remove the last obstacle im-
posed by the Wehrmacht to Hitler's supreme
power. In caricature and in portrait he was
typical of his life and the "patriot" German
of his day.

OCCUPATION AND EDUCATION

THE FIRST PRINCIPLE OF PEACE IS
to disarm those who would make war.
The disarmament of Germany and Japan
can only be achieved by occupation in the
case of Germany, and separation, in the case
of Japan, from her sources of supply for ma-
terials. The Big Three, for some years, will
have to occupy Germany and immediately
there arises a series of question marks posed
by a natural disinclination to face facts
which appear unpleasant at first sight. For
instance, unless Canada wishes to disasso-
ciate herself entirely from the responsibility
of being an integral part of the United Na-
tions, she will have to maintain a token
force in Germany. The time it serves would
not be measured by the time of the occupa-
tion, but by parliamentary ruling, say
for two years.

As a matter of fact such a period of serv-
ice abroad, if regarded in the light of com-
mon sense, could be considered a great priv-
ilege for a free education. In fact the longer
the occupation the better the chance for such
an education. If for the sake of argument
Canada furnished 5,000 men every two years
for 30 years, no less than 75,000 men would
have had the peculiar advantage of an
unique education, not in making war, but in
making peace. Being without the virus of
Nazism, they would be a shining example
to the totally disarmed youth of Germany.

Occupation means disarmament. It also
entails military superintendence and military
dictation along certain lines. It means the
prevention of evasion of disarmament. It
means not only the total paralysis of the
German ability to make war, but also the
total devotion of her energies to the pursuit
of peace. It will take time but it will cost
less to impose a totalitarian peace.

HUMAN RIGHTS

BROADLY SPEAKING THE "FOUR
Freedom" are endangered by attempts
to chart their course, to define literally how
they are to be interpreted under widely dif-
fering circumstances by utterly different
people. Moreover there is the usual con-
fusion between the "Four Freedoms" as an
objective and as a right. Human rights are
demanded of government as a fundamental
principle but are not recognized as a funda-
mental responsibility of the individual. It
is easy enough to discover the so-called rights
of man in a dictionary, but not so easy to
define them in a court of law.

Civilization exists by a proper regard for
law, but law is a very different thing to jus-
tice and the rights of man depend upon the
exercise of justice, not only upon the inter-
pretation of the law. A rough and ready
justice was exercised by the early settlers
of this country without the benefit of law.
Their actions responded to the pressure of
what would today be called public opinion,
which knew nothing of the Four Freedoms
because civilization had not advanced far
enough to recognize them as a principle even
if it realized them vaguely as desirable.

Justice demands that for the sake of
humanity war, as a means of settling dif-
ferences between nations, shall cease. The
"Four Freedoms" have been suggested as a
general objective to be attained by discard-
ing war and substituting liberty as a means
of progressive development. It is considered
entirely practical to prevent war by interna-
tional action. But to insist on international
action to confer the "Four Freedoms" on
humanity at large is to confound ideology
with principle and justice with opinion.
Human rights are a matter of understanding
and responsibility. They are the harvest of
tolerance, not the seeds of conviction.

Bruce Hutchison

SAN FRANCISCO.

SHOWMAN'S PARADISE

ALL THE SHOWMEN of the ages from
the Pharaohs onward have never yet
produced a spectacle quite like San Fran-
cisco today. This, though it has been over-
shadowed by the grim denouement of the
war, is the most remarkable show on earth:
remarkable chiefly because it is the first
real attempt to merge the speech, customs
and minds of 49 separate peoples into a
single way of thinking, to bridge in a few
weeks gaps of thought, emotion and instinct
which go back thousands of years. This pro-
cess of ratiocination has been likened to a
chameleon placed on a tartan scarf of many
colors—it is very hard on the chameleon
and he tends to collapse under the strain of
being all colors at once.

As a result, quite apart from the histori-
cal decisions of the United Nations Con-
ference, you see many strange things in this
town today. You see Mr. Molotov striding
through the crowds, protected by his body-
guards and looking so much like Theodore
Roosevelt that you think immediately of
Arsenic and Old Lace and expect him to
draw his sword, shout "Charge," and rush
up the stairs.

YOU SEE the ubiquitous smile of Mr.
Stettinius, hiding the thoughts of a very
worried and much-criticized "young" states-
man; but flashing over San Francisco rhyth-
mically like a lighthouse of good hope on a
bleak shore. You see the immemorial and
solemn figure of Marshal Smuts like a firm
rock, unmoved by the torrent swirling
around him, the puckish Bideault, France's
Foreign Minister; the glamorous Eden, and
a dozen other world figures all jostled to-
gether, emerging for a moment on the stage
and then swept away in the churning con-
fusion of the conference.

Life for the newspaper correspondents,
as if anyone cared, is pretty difficult in San
Francisco. In the middle of breakfast you
are hurried off to a press conference at
some distant hotel, and to another halfway
through your lunch, and several more be-
fore and after dinner.

At one end of town Mr. Evatt is thun-
dering the Australians' plans for the South
Pacific. At the other end the delegates of
India are wrangling in public about the true
nature of Mr. Gandhi and of God. At the
same time, the entire American delegation
has crammed the Fairmont Hotel with cor-
respondents to explain away, pretty lamely,
the mess it made of the "affaire Argentine,"
even Mr. Stettinius' Neon smile proving in-
adequate for the task.

MEANWHILE Mr. Coldwell is announcing
to Canadian newspapers that he was
opposed to Mr. King's vote on the admission
of Argentina and is trying to outline as
calmly as possible his own conception of
democracy. And all over the town, at every
press conference, earnest Jews are bobbing
up to demand what is going to be done for
Palestine, and are being slapped down again
with the unvarying answer that this is not
the business of the present meeting.

San Francisco was not constructed for
such proceedings. It is built on hills which
can be traveled only in low gear, by cable
car and by mountain climbers with alpen-
stocks. Thus every press conference is sepa-
rated by about 10 minutes, three miles hori-
zontally and several thousand feet vertically.
The change in altitude is ruinous to the
human nervous system and may have some-
thing to do with the outbreak of measles in
the Canadian delegation.

But the great work of building a world
organization goes steadily on undisturbed
by all this outward tumult and by all the
strange camp followers who seem to think
this is only a 49-circus with pink lemon-
ade, peanuts and elephants.

MISS RISE STEVENS, the prima donna,
arrives here to sing and blithely an-
nounces that she has really come to see Mr.
Eden, "the second handsomest man in the
world." (The first handsomest is not men-
tioned.) Various names on the social regis-
ter are here from Washington and New
York, and have taken hotel suites to enter-
tain the delegates and exercise their ego.
More colorful and equally effective, a Sen-
eca Indian chief is here walking the streets
in war bonnet and beaded buckskin to warn
the conference that some treaty between
Canada and the Iroquois nations a century
or so back is really ultra vires, but nobody
notices him any more.

Thousands of autograph collectors are
here and demand the signature of anybody
with a conference badge and, finally, half
the American navy seems to be here on
leave. Under all this strain San Francisco is
busting apart at the seams.

You can hardly find a seat in a restaur-
ant and, when you do, it becomes clear that
under rationing, the town's unequalled
cuisine has broken down. The clever local
chefs spice it and cut it a hundred different
ways, but it is still bologna or chicken, with-
out butter even for breakfast and (this is
the special Canadian grievance), they make
tea by giving you a pot of half-warmed
water and a tea bag on the saucer.

PERHAPS the most alarming phenomenon
of these parts is the press photographer,
who crawls out of the woodwork every-
where, wriggles along the floor for angle
shots, and constantly fills the air with
enough flashlights to be seen by the naked
eye from Mars.

But San Francisco is the friendliest city
in the world and does its best. Your laundry
may be gone ten days but, as these lines
were written, the pants presser in this hotel
knocked at the door, brought back a suit he
had promised four days ago.

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The War Today

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press War Analyst

Is it inevitable that Russia on
the one hand and the Anglo-
American partnership on the
other will arrive at logger-heads?

That's one of the paramount
questions not only of our time
but of the centuries. This is so
because the world is undergoing
a vast change—and the Big Three
are the dominant powers. Their
unity is the safeguard against
another global war.

We are going to get an early
test of Big Three solidarity. The
laboratory is going to be defeated
Germany. There we shall see
combined all the strange factors
which will inaugurate a Europe
far different from anything we
have known.

The chief chemists are going to
be the Big Three, and they'll be
combining substances whose re-
action they don't know. There
are likely to be explosions, and
some of them may be violent.

Does this European metamor-
phosis, with all its political and
economic differences of view-
point, necessarily lead to another
world upheaval? We can see with
half an eye that it could pro-
duce trouble—but does it have
to?

The signs don't read that way
to me. Certainly it's going to re-
quire a lot of give and take
among the Big Three to maintain
balance, but thus far there's no
unsubstantiated obstacle in sight.

Russia, of course, is extending
her sphere of influence westward
on the continent, and probably
will do so in the Orient. The in-
dications also are that Moscow is
encouraging the efforts of com-
munist elements in various coun-
tries to establish Soviet govern-
ments. However, there is no sign
so far as I can see that Russia
is bent on territorial expansion
as such, although she patently
does intend to insure friendly
buffer states on her frontiers.

It strikes me that the basic dif-
ficulty among the Big Three lies
in suspicions of one another—
fears of something which might
happen, but might not happen.
That probably is mainly due to
lack of acquaintance. It may dis-
appear as Russia emerges so that
we can see more of her—and so
she can see more of us.

For a generation now Russia
has been living within herself
and has become a stranger. But
the attitude of the Russian people
seems to be friendly enough.

I think we are justified in be-
lieving trouble with Russia is
not inevitable.

THIS WAR—FOUR YEARS AGO

By the Canadian Press
May 9, 1941—Russia withdrew
her recognition of the govern-
ments of Yugoslavia, Belgium and
Norway. Thailand and French
Indo-China signed a Japanese-
sponsored peace treaty. Premier
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defend her Atlantic possessions
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Today's Crossword Puzzle

HORIZONTAL

1. Fabled U.S. ambassador to China, Maj.-Gen.

12. Alleged force

13. Norse god

14. Peer Gyn's mother

15. French article

16. Student

17. Willing end

18. Aggregate

19. Sicilian

20. Lampreys

21. He carried

22. Leather strip

23. Alluring

24. Caterpillar hair

25. Minked

26. Court (adj.)

27. Symbol for germanium

28. Pain

29. Son of Seth (bib.)

30. Land measure (pl.)

31. Type of fertilization

32. Heavenly body

33. Fish

34. Lady

35. He

36. Biblical mountain

37. Race course circuit

38. Daybreak (comb. form)

39. Palm leaf

40. Silkworm

41. Symbol for radium

42. Traps

43. He formerly served as President Roosevelt's envoy to Chungking

44. VEDIC

45. Skin openings

46. Adjust

47. Universal language

48. Fresh-water fish

49. Quota

50. Leg part

51. Man's name

52. Employ

53. Of the thing

VERTICAL

10. Branded

11. Asiatic country

12. Wears

13. Night line (ab.)

14. Forefather

15. Baseball player

16. Matured

17. Type of heads

18. Wiser

19. Movement

20. Stout vine

21. East-Indian word

22. Elm seed

23. Coal residue

24. (pl.)

25. Asiatic kingdom

26. British account money (pl.)

27. Father

28. War god

29. Musical

30. Instrument

31. Malt drink

32. Blind

33. Either

34. Symbol for actinium

(Answer to previous puzzle)

JEFFERSON

Westerners Win Palm As 'Most Friendly'

By CANADIAN INSTITUTE OF PUBLIC OPINION

TORONTO — In Canada, east may be east, and west west, but when the twain meet, the west, apparently, beats the east to the draw in extending the good right hand of fellowship.

That the people of western Canada have, without any apparent help from high-priced publicity bureaux, built up a fairly healthy reputation for friendliness and sociability, is indicated by a national Gallup Poll on the basis of this question:

"From what you have heard, or experienced yourself, which of these two groups is more friendly and sociable: People who live on the prairies, and in British Columbia, or people in the rest of Canada?"

Ontario, in this case swallows its pride and gives the palm to western Canada by a majority. Quebec and the Maritimes can't see it that way and don't give a majority to anybody. The western provinces, with pardonable lack of modesty, award the prize to themselves by a vote of eight in 10. Here is the way the various areas of Canada view this much-discussed question of western hospitality vs. the eastern brand:

	Think West Most Friendly	Think East Most Friendly	Undecided
Quebec, Maritimes	25%	27%	48%
Ontario	56%	16%	28%
Western Canada	80%	5%	15%

The "undecided" group in each case includes those who felt there was no difference in the friendliness of the two sections of Canada.

If you lump opinion in Ontario, Quebec and the Maritimes together, on a proportionate basis, you find that 39 per cent in this area credit the west with being more friendly; 26 per cent think the east more friendly, and 35 per cent are undecided, or feel there is no difference.

While easterners may sincerely feel that they are at least as friendly as their fellow Canadians west of the Ontario-Manitoba boundary, they must face up to the fact that only five in every 100 persons in the West believe easterners are more friendly.

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Killed Overseas



Lieut. E. O. Copas, 23, son of E. O. Copas, Vancouver, and grandson of Mrs. O. Copas and the late Mr. Copas of Victoria, was reported killed in Holland April 26. Born in Alberni he received his earlier education in Victoria and enlisted in 1939.

More Restrictions On Canned Fish

OTTAWA (CP) — Domestic supplies of canned fish will be further restricted during the coming months to meet the needs of Europe, it was learned Wednesday. However, an effort will be made to keep supplies of fresh and frozen fish at current levels.

Senator A. Neil McLean, administrator of fish and fish products for the Prices Board, and Dr. D. B. Finn, deputy minister of fisheries, both emphasized the desperate needs of Europe for more protein foods, and particularly fish.

Fish experts in Ottawa expect the fishing fleet along the At-

Cardin Abandons Plan for New Party

MONTREAL (CP)—Hon. P. J. A. Cardin has announced in a signed statement he "will not carry out" his plans for the formation of the National Front Party.

Mr. Cardin, who had outlined his plans in a radio address April 27, said in his statement: "I thought I could bring together through unity and equality the citizens of our province and our country. It was an illusion. I lost many other (illusions) during my political life, especially during the past three years."

The long time Liberal who, in 1942, resigned as minister in the government of Prime Minister King following a disagreement of the conscription issue, had said in announcing formation of the National Front he wanted to bring "nearer to one another the sons of Canada in one union based on equality and vitalized by the spirit of justice."

"Since I do not wish to contribute to our (Quebec's) unfortunate divisions, I have decided to limit my activities during the forthcoming election campaign and, therefore, not to carry out my plans for a general movement," he said.

lantic will be increased considerably as a result of the ending of the European war.

It is believed here it will require some months before European fishermen are sufficiently reorganized to bring their fishing activities up to prewar levels, although not much is known about the situation in Norway, always a great fishing country.

2 Vancouver Tots Survive Ordeal As Mother Dead 4 Days

VANCOUVER (CP) — Little Dorothy Wells, four-year-old daughter of a Vancouver tugboat captain, welcomed her father home from the sea Wednesday unable to understand that her mother was dead and her one-year-old sister, Daisy, was dying of starvation.

The tiny fair-haired tot was sitting solemnly in a rocking chair when her father, John Wells, knocked at the door of his little white cottage on 21st Avenue in Vancouver's east-end district.

Captain Wells, skipper of the tugboat Black Raven, had come back from a 10-day voyage up the British Columbia coast. When he received no answer to a telephone call he rushed home. His wife, Margaret, 24, was dead in her bed and Daisy was in her

crib, almost strangled with the covers.

Police believe Mrs. Wells had been dead three or four days. Dorothy had lived on bread crusts and three bottles of milk which she had taken in from the back porch.

The children were taken to a friend's home and then rushed to a hospital. After examination Dorothy was allowed to leave. She was taken to her grandmother's home in the Marpole district, still unaware that her mother was gone.

Daisy was confined to the children's ward, where nurses reported her condition "good."

Mrs. Wells is believed to have died from a hemorrhage. Dr. J. D. Whitbread, coroner, said there would be no inquest.

Annual reunion dinner of the 88th Battalion, C.E.F., will be held in the lower hall of the Crystal Garden May 23. H. Clear, publicity chairman, announces. Former members of the battalion who plan to attend are asked to get tickets as soon as possible. R. H. Mould is secretary-treasurer.

Win College Awards



LILIAN B. CHUNG W. BERNARD M. HICK

Two clever second year students at Victoria College who won prizes, announced Thursday when examination results were released. Lilian Chung won the Quita Nichol Bursary of \$50 donated by Mrs. W. C. Nichol for excellence in second year French by revision from Ella K. Allen. Bernard Hick won the book prize for excellence in Zoology I.

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Hospitality Group Urges Citizens To Open Homes

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The following is taken from a letter received by a hostess who entertained a soldier last November. He is now returned from overseas, after having lost a leg, and is being trained in a rehabilitation school in Edmonton.

"I was looking over my old souvenirs, and came across the little slip we were given with your address, and I could not let a day go by without letting you know what a big thing in my life your invitation was. At that time I was getting very much fed-up with everything in general, and that Sunday at your home rather changed my outlook on things. I sincerely thank you for giving me a day I shall never forget—especially the 'chicken and doughboys.' I want you to know that anything you do for any serviceman means more than you could ever imagine."

Last week the committee arranged a considerable number of invitations for British seamen, and it is likely that this branch of the work will continue active. In entertaining the British boys, Canadian families have an opportunity of repaying some of the hospitality which the British people have extended to Canadians stationed in Great Britain. Invitations for Sunday supper and for 48-hour leaves are most popular with the forces. Those who wish to register with the committee telephone Miss Ellen Hart, G 5425.

Rogers-Cotton Nuptials Performed

At an all military wedding held Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Rogers, 1077 Collinson Street, friends of the groom, Pte. Lillian Payne Cotton, C.W.A.C., became the bride of Cpl. Frederick Chester "Terry" Rogers, R.C.A.F.

Maj. G. H. Hamilton, R.C.O.C., performed the double ring ceremony for the younger daughter of F. P. Cotton, Vancouver, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Rogers of Saskatoon, who returned from four years overseas service in December, 1943. The bride was given in marriage by her brother, W. F. P. Cotton, R.C.A.F., who has just returned from overseas. She wore her uniform, complimented with a corsage bouquet of pink roses and lily of the valley. The bride wearing a brown tulle dress with a white carnation corsage and a white carnation corsage. The groom was in uniform. Following the reception, Cpl. and Mrs. Rogers left for a honeymoon on the mainland, where another reception was held at the home of the bride's father, 2730 Fender Street.

The bride and groom will reside at 1007 Collinson Street.

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Red Cross Visitors



Mrs. R. C. J. de Satge, R.N., left, field organizer of Red Cross home nursing in British Columbia, was accompanied to Victoria by Miss Yvonne Ramus, right, of the British Red Cross. While in the city Miss Ramus spoke to members of the Overseas Wives' Class Wednesday afternoon. Miss Ramus recently accompanied 53 Canadians, who have been released from Japanese prisoner of war camps, from California to Vancouver. She gave a graphic description of the three terrible years these people spent in the camps.

Personal Notes

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Whitty, formerly of Vermilion, Alta., have taken up residence at 640 St. Patrick Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bryant of Prince Rupert are visiting in Victoria. Prior to their return they will visit at the Hotel Vancouver.

Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. Macgregor Macintosh, Denison Road, have returned to their home after visiting at Harbor House, Ganges.

Mrs. A. B. Rivers entertained at a kitchen shower Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Gill German, a May bride-elect. Mrs. Barry German poured tea.

Mrs. J. O. Mathas, Los Angeles, with her twin daughters, Lorraine and Jeanette, and her young son, Johnny, are visiting Mrs. Mathas' father, Mr. H. Alexander, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Alexander.

Lt.-Cmdr. Cornelius Burke, D.S.C. and Bar, and Mrs. Burke, who arrived in Vancouver from Ottawa at the weekend, have come to Victoria and are with their children and Mrs. Burke's mother, Mrs. Henry Bell-Irving.

Mrs. Fred Crofton and her daughters at Harbour House, Ganges, will entertain residents of Ganges at a Victory Tea Sunday afternoon at 4. Maj.-Gen. G. R. Pearkes, V.C., and Mrs. Pearkes of Victoria will be honored guests.

Miss Helen Miller has returned to Victoria after spending several days visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bopman at their summer home at Vesuvius Bay, Salt Spring Island. She was accompanied on her return by Misses Audrey and Sheila Bopman.

Mrs. H. Day entertained at a bridge party at Ganges Inn in Ganges. Mrs. Jack Abbott assisted the hostess in serving. The guests were Mesdames J. Foubister, W. McDermott, T. C. Trafford, S. Wagg, E. Parsons, H. T. Peter, C. Bigham and J. Blair.

Mrs. J. E. Wilson, accompanied by her granddaughter, Miss Patsy Pitts, has gone to Vancouver where she is visiting at the Hotel Vancouver. She is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Gordon Money, prior to leaving for Ashcroft, where she will spend a month with her other daughter, Mrs. G. H. Pitts.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Jarrott Jones and Mrs. Jones' mother, Mrs. Richard Sidney Jones, have returned to Seattle after spending several days in Victoria. Mr. and Mrs. Jones were guests at the Oak Bay Beach Hotel, and Mrs. Richard Jones visited her cousin, Mrs. Frank Townsend, who is ill, and Mrs. Jones' niece, Miss Gladys Townsend.

A miscellaneous shower was held by Mrs. E. Hayman and Miss Doris Mason at the home of the latter, 2012 Richmond Road, in honor of Miss Ann Walters, a bride-elect. The guests were: Mesdames Rhodes, Ward, Christie, White, Rhodes Jr., Hatt, Kellor, Hunt, Hynes, Walker, Mason, Misses Jean Portlouis, Miriam McIntyre, Joyce Hayman and Shirley Mason.

When Elizabeth K. (Boo) Duns-muir and Wren Jill Humphreys have arrived in Victoria to spend leave. Wren Duns-muir arrived from her post at Cornwallis and will visit her mother, Mrs. Florence Duns-muir, and her sister, Mrs. Laura H. Mitchell, 2830 Murray Drive. Wren Humphreys, daughter of Maj. Seldon Humphreys and the late Mrs. Humphreys, will be the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Dola Cavendish, Belmont Road. Wren Humphreys was an ambulance driver during the blitz in London and has been stationed in Halifax.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Pednault have returned to Victoria after visiting in Ganges, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Dewhurst.

Lieut. Gordon Reade, R.C.A., has returned to Victoria after spending leave with his wife at Salt Spring Island.

Mrs. M. L. Lyon has received word from her grandson, Cpl. Leslie J. Russell, in London, Eng., announcing the birth of a son. Cpl. Russell went overseas with the Toronto Scottish in 1939 and was married in London three years ago. His mother, Mrs. Frazier, lives in San Francisco.

Following a memorial service held at Ganges, Mrs. Desmond Crofton entertained at an "after five" party at her home, "Spring Corner." She was assisted by her son and daughter, John Crofton and Miss Sylvia Crofton. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Crofton, Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Crofton, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Springford, Mesdames Fred Crofton, J. Mitchell, Fred Morris, Graham Shave, Misses Denise and Dulcie Crofton, Adeline Kerves, June Mitchell and Doris Phelps.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wilson entertained at home, Barnsbury, at Salt Spring Island in honor of the birthday of their daughter, Mrs. Lois Hayes. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Crofton, Capt. and Mrs. Guernsey, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Eston, PO, and Mrs. Jack Smith, Mesdames B. Peterson, H. Lindsay, J. E. Holmes, A. B. Elliot, Graham Shave, M. Mout, H. McLaughlin, Fred Morris, Misses N. Turner, V. Layard, D. Crofton, Messrs. N. Degen, J. D. Halley, G. S. Reade, J. Napier, E. Springford and Sgt. Basil Robinson.

In honor of PO David Schulz, R.C.N., and Mrs. Schulz, the former Nora Johnston, a shower was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnston, Mendies Street. Mrs. Johnston was assisted by Miss M. Trevelyan and Mrs. F. Neunselat. Dancing and games were enjoyed and Mrs. E. G. Trevelyan supplied the music. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. F. Neunselat, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Trevelyan, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allison, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Schulz, Mr. and Mrs. J. Johnston, Mesdames R. Taylor, M. Harris, M. Dunn, C. Stuart, C. Taylor, Flannigan, J. Flannigan Jr., L. Westmorland, Misses Jean Wicks, Betty Harris, Kay and Margaret Trevelyan, C. Stevenson, E. Taylor, Messrs. J. Tuka and Jack Andrews.

Luxton W.I.

July 18 is the date set for the summer flower show and sale of work being arranged by the Luxton and Happy Valley Women's Institute. Mrs. L. Willing presided at the last meeting and introduced W. P. Hobbs, president of Luxton Community Club, who asked co-operation of the institute members in doing clean-up work in the hall. Reports showed specimens of knitting, wood carving, woven rug and toys have been forwarded to the exhibit at Lake Hill Community Hall to be held Friday.

Red Cross Notes

Columbia Unit—Final arrangements have been made for a pageant called "Thru the Year," to be held May 30 in the Marigold Hall. All proceeds will aid Red Cross funds. There will also be a concert and community singing between each presentation. Models will parade in dresses of the 19th century and special musical songs will be rendered. The entertainment will be staged by Mesdames J. M. N. Paterson, F. Plater, T. Whelden and C. A. Berry, with other helpers.

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Auxiliary Tea Honors Mothers

A Mother's Day tea was held Wednesday afternoon by the ladies' auxiliary to F.O.E. Aerle No. 12, when Mrs. Ivy Essler, convenor, introduced Mrs. Thelma Simmons, president. Mrs. Simmons welcomed the guests and presented Mrs. Flora Levy, "mother" of the auxiliary, who opened the tea.

Mrs. Ivy Baines, junior past madam president, presided at the tea table. Mrs. B. Duncan and Mrs. Cox were among the honored guests.

Taking part in the musical program were Little Beverly Turner, Mrs. Doris Phelps, Mrs. Eva Oliver and Jack Smith. Mrs. M. Wilshurst was the accompanist.

Mrs. E. Griffen was in-charge of the home cooking stall; Mrs. Lynda Wright, decoration of room and tables; Mesdames M. Wyber, C. Jasper, B. Ormandy and S. Willoughby, serving; Mesdames J. Taylor, L. Wright and L. Bartlett, kitchen; Mrs. E. Thomas, tea tickets.

W.A. to R.C.N.

The sum of \$426.50 was realized at the water pageant, Mrs. D. H. Rutlan, entertainment convenor, reported at a meeting of the W.A. to the Royal Canadian Navy. Mrs. Barry German presided. Mrs. Rutlan thanked Mrs. T. F. Griffin for her assistance.

The resignation of Mrs. Rutlan, who is leaving the city, was accepted with regret. New members welcomed included Mesdames G. McGibbon, A. Annandale, L. Kerridge, E. J. Semmers, R. W. Tate, G. K. Cowan and two former members, Mrs. S. A. Fenwell and Mrs. C. McCharles.

The group will supply taggers for the W.A. of R.C.A.M.C. Saturday, May 19; also the Children of France Society, May 26. Forty-five knitted articles were made during the month. Bedspreads and laundry bags will be supplied to Moresby Three. The Royal Canadian Naval College at Royal Roads will be given a white silk ensign for an altar cloth in the chapel.

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Club Calendar

Cornish Society, Saturday, 8, home of Mrs. M. White, 1616 Fairfield Road. . . Island Temple No. 8, Pythian Sisters, Thursday, 7.30, instead of 8. Card game will follow.
Girl Guide rummage sale, Saturday, 9.30, 1110 Broad Street, downstairs. . . Arts and Crafts Sketch Club, Upstairs car terminus, Monday, 2. . . Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter, I.O.E., Thursday, 2, home of Mrs. Fred Spencer, 685 Beach Drive. . . Mary Croft Esquimalt Chapter, I.O. D.E., headquarters, Monday, 2. . . Native Daughters of B.C., Post No. 3, Thursday, 7.45, Business and Professional Women's Club-rooms.

Esquimalt Club

Sir Henry Drayton addressed a meeting of the Esquimalt Community Club, complimenting them on their splendid work. Lady Drayton and Maj. A. Harvey were also guests at the meeting. Mrs. R. McVie presided, and welcomed back to the club Lieut. "Butch" Cockrill, recently returned from overseas. Mrs. W. Petrie and Mrs. S. Rush were presented with purses for their work in making costumes for the May Day festivities. The club's first war bride, Mrs. R. McVie, was presented with a chenille bedspread. Plans for the month of May include 500 card games every Wednesday evening; cribbage, second and third Mondays; bingo, second and fourth Fridays. Next meeting will be June 4, at 8.

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Britannia W.A.

B.C. executive meetings of the Women's Auxiliary to the Britannia Branch will open Friday morning at 10.30 in the Britannia Hall. Sessions will resume in the afternoon at 2 and a social evening at 8.

Delegates representing the Victoria Branch include Mesdames D. Swan, H. E. Wilson, H. Jarvis, L. Bourne, H. Norris. The final 500 card game will be held this evening at 8. Annual strawberry tea is scheduled for June 28. Mrs. Jarvis will attend funerals and Mrs. Willmott and Mrs. Pearson the memorial tablet for this month.

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Inequality Protested Regarding Hosiery Sales

More co-operation from retail merchants regarding the sale of hose to business girls and teachers was requested by the Miss Consumer Branch of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board by their representative, Miss E. Innes, at a meeting of the Women's Regional Advisory Committee Wednesday.

Another complaint was received regarding the supply of hose from Camosun Chapter I.O.D.E., which stated "some women are spending their time in queues buying stockings and re-selling them at a profit. Others boast of possessing 18 pairs of stockings."

Mrs. Paul Smith, chairman, said that only through some scheme of rationing by retailers could this situation be remedied. "Greater shortages are anticipated in B.C. with the shifting of the war front to the Pacific," Charles Booth of the Standards Division told the meeting. "Rationing will be needed more than

ever, now that the war in Europe is over, and there is no daylight to be seen, as far as de-control is concerned."

Mr. Booth explained that there is now a Victoria branch of the Standards Division, from which investigation of degradation of quality will be carried out locally. Degradation of quality, he said, includes the sale of inferior goods at ordinary prices; inferior workmanship and the producing of goods in smaller than authorized prices.

Any article believed to be of inferior quality should be reported to the local office together with the price tag which is required on all garments. Following investigation, these articles will be returned, Mr. Booth said.

Reports were given by Mrs. A. J. Carmichael for the speakers' committee; Miss V. Wilson, radio; Mrs. W. E. Rayfuse, remake centre; prices panel, Mrs. A. H. C. Phipps; Miss E. Innes, Miss Consumer Branch.

Colwood Club

Under the auspices of the Colwood Community Club and arranged through the courtesy of the War Finance Committee, moving pictures of the invasion of Normandy and the building of a harbor, were shown by Maj. George Yardley in Colwood Hall. E. H. Emery, president, introduced Maj. Yardley, also WO. Norman Wharf, R.C.A.F., who told of his experiences in a prisoner-of-war camp. A business meeting will be held May 21 in Colwood Hall.

Sponsor Concert

St. Mary's Women's Guild are sponsoring a concert, to be held Friday at 7.45 in St. Mary's Parish Hall, assisted by the Girl Guides of Oak Bay. Mrs. R. A. Wootton is general convener and all proceeds will aid the Red Cross. Mrs. D. Abraham will speak and show slides on the cathedrals of England, and plays will be presented by Oak Bay school students.

Colwood W.A.

Mrs. A. J. Proudfoot, treasurer, reported the sum of \$29.65 realized at the daffodil tea, at a meeting of St. John's W.A., Colwood. Mrs. C. O. Bodman presided. Interesting photographs of life in

Scholarship Winners



GERTRUDE LEE

Leading students of Victoria College who won honors in examination results announced Wednesday. Gwen Shaw won the Royal Institute and Frank Eaton Memorial Scholarship of \$50 awarded to the student taking highest standing in English in second year by reversion from Ella K. Allen. She was also awarded a book prize for excellence in Latin 2. Gertrude Lee was awarded the Sidney Roofing and Paper Co. scholarship of \$100 for the leading second year student, on reversion from Ella K. Allen. She also won the Alliance France Libre prize of \$25 awarded to the student making the most progress in second year French.



GWEN. M. SHAW

Opening campaign meeting—FO. Murray Bryce and Mrs. Steeves, M.L.A., Victoria High School, Monday, 14th, 8 p.m. ***

Burma were exhibited and Mrs. Bodman read an article on life in the Far East.

Dorothy Dix

Dear Dorothy Dix—I am a serviceman's wife, tied down with two youngsters. I have no friends or relatives here, and my allotment is inadequate to keep up household expenses. I add to my income my taking care of neighbors' children so they can go out and have good times.

My trouble is that these gay wives rub it in on me about what a good time my husband is having overseas. I know they are only teasing me, but my husband has been away from home for 19 months, and I just can't take it. Also, they look at me as though I had lost my mind when I say that I know my husband is faithful to me. I know he has been, and that when he comes back we will spend the rest of our lives making each other happy. But

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Many Functions Attend Ceremonies Of Convocation Day

Climax of their college careers came for graduating students of the University of British Columbia this afternoon with convocation ceremonies held in the University gymnasium. Tea for parents, relatives and friends, followed in Brock Hall.

Highlight of Convocation Day entertainment will be the formal dinner this evening in Hotel Vancouver's banquet room. Chancellor E. W. Hamber will preside and G. G. McGeer, K.C., M.P., will be the guest speaker. Members of the University Alumni Association will be hosts at the dance following the dinner.

This morning, members of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority entertained at Shaughnessy Golf Club at a graduation breakfast in honor of those members of the sorority who graduated later in the day. Sorority members from Victoria who were honored were Misses Barbara Smith, Eileen Willis and Barri Sloan.

Friday, the Mothers' Club of Kappa Alpha Theta will honor the sorority graduates at a tea at the home of Mrs. G. C. Crease, Quilchena Crescent. At this time, Mrs. H. L. Smith, Mrs. Archie Willis and Mrs. Wm. Sloan will accompany their daughters.

Receive Life Memberships



Miss Mary Lawson, M.B.E., past president, and Miss U. Caldicote, past president, were presented with life memberships at a meeting held by past presidents of the Christ Church Cathedral Senior Evening Branch W.A., M.S.C.C., in the Memorial Hall, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Arthur Bengough, divisional president, took the service. Left to right are seen: Mrs. H. Eastwood, Miss Mary Lawson, M.B.E.; Miss U. Caldicote, Mrs. Arthur Bengough, Deaconess Simcox, Miss Margaret Sill, and Miss Alice Turner.

why do people think it fun to try to make a war wife, who is having enough to bear anyway, a little more unhappy. J.B.G. Answer—Heaven only knows. Sometimes it is just sheer idiosyncrasy. Some people are so dull and stupid that they don't realize

what they are doing. But, generally, it is some sadistic impulse that makes them get a kick out of torturing others and seeing them squirm over the barbs they inflict with their tongues. Teasing is the lowest form of torture, and anyone who deliber-

ately does it should have something with boiling oil in it done to them. There is no way you can defend yourself against it, but, at least, you can try not to let it make you unhappy or to shake your faith in your good husband.

Women Doctors On Active Service



Not far behind the front lines the hospitals of the Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps are set up and for the first time in the history of warfare women doctors are on the staff of medical units serving in active theatres of war. On the left is seen Capt. Deborah G. Hannay of Wellesley, Ont., a medical officer with the troops in Belgium. A graduate of the University of Toronto, she practiced with her father, Dr. William Glaister in Wellesley, later going into partnership with Dr. Harry Lackner in Kitchener, Ont. Her husband also is overseas. He is a captain of artillery. Right: Capt. Roma Irene Merritt, Toronto, overseas medical officer, is on the staff of a Canadian hospital in England.

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P.T.A. News

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In Police Court

Pte. Nicholas Luni, charged in city police court Wednesday with theft of an automobile, was remanded to Thursday to consult his superior officer.

Lloyd Charles Ritter had two charges of perjury read against him. The charges alleged Ritter had perjured himself in county court and Esquimalt police court when he had testified he had the skipper of a ship in his cab and had driven the seaman to various beer parlors on December 2, when, in reality, both the skipper and his ship were in Vancouver on that day. Ritter reserved plea and was remanded to May 16. Magistrate Hall set bail at \$1,000.

CADET INSPECTION

The University School Cadet Corps annual inspection was held Wednesday afternoon. Major A. Piggot, Vancouver, was inspecting officer and he was accompanied by Capt. E. E. King, assistant cadet officer. The demonstration included a brief, but well-presented, physical display under Cadet Lt. P. F. Collett.

The zone marker on an ice hockey rink is known as a blue line.

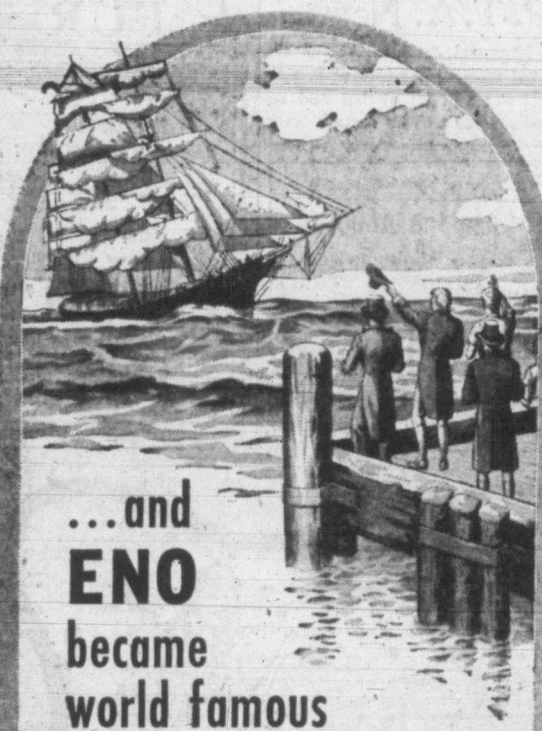
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B.C. May Get More Liquor But Little Scotch for 5 Years

While Ottawa was reported to see a three-quart liquor ration for B.C. within the realm of possibility, the end of hostilities in Europe will not quench the thirst of British Columbians for imported Scotch whiskies—at least not for four or five years.

Nor is it likely the end of the war will make available imported wines which have been off the local market since early in the war.

W. K. Kennedy, chairman of the B.C. Liquor Control Board, said distillers in Britain had practically used up their reserves of liquor during wartime while being prohibited from bringing along new supplies. It is expected to take five years for liquor started now to be properly aged and ready for the consumer.

Mr. Kennedy has little information about conditions in wine exporting countries, but it seems unlikely wine exporters will have available large quantities for immediate sale.

There was no further word here today about the removal by Ottawa of the price ceilings which distilleries may charge liquor control boards for their wares.

Canadians have been confronted with liquor rationing since Dec. 16, 1942, when wartime restrictions on the release of spirits and wines became effective. First rationing was effected by limiting hours of sale of liquor in stores here. Coupon rationing followed.

The government limited the quantity of spirits and wine to be released for sale in the period from Nov. 1, 1942, to Oct. 31, 1943, to 70 and 80 per cent, respectively, of the quantity released during the previous 12 months. The period of this limitation subsequently was extended for the duration of the war.

Restrictions which limited beer supply to 90 per cent of the 1942 distribution were lifted a year ago. Still remaining in effect, in addition to the restrictions on the release of spirits and wine, are government regulations prohibiting all liquor advertising for the duration of the war.

There also was no indication whether the federal government was withdrawing its wartime request to provincial governments to restrict the hours of sale of beer and liquors to eight hours a day.

Schools to Release Students for Farms

Pupils of Grades 8 to 11 who, in the opinion of their school principals, have made such progress during the year as to entitle them to promotion to a higher grade for the next school year, will be permitted to be released from school on or after June 1, to be employed on farms, Education Minister H. G. T. Perry announced today.

Students of grade 12 who have made an average standing of 66 per cent are also included in the order of the Council of Public Instruction.

Only if the manpower shortage does not improve before September will Mr. Perry recommend that a similar order for September and October be made this year. Last year the order provided for pupils to remain from schools for the first two months of the new term.

Drill Team Proud Of War Record

Looking over record of Victoria Girls' Drill Team today, Capt. Norman Foster said that since the outbreak of war in 1939 they have given 96 performances before members of the armed forces. They have also given 21 demonstrations for the Red Cross and made eight Victory Loan appearances. To fulfill these engagements they have traveled 2,321 miles.

Membership totaled 37 in 1939, and is now 61. When the call first came for girls to go into the shipyards 27 members of the drill team immediately took up this work. When ration cards were first issued 35 of the group volunteered to write out the books.

Twelve members have enlisted in the services and eight have joined the nursing services.

Camp Thunderbird To Open July 19

Camp Thunderbird, the Y.M.C.A. summer camp 20 miles out of town, will open July 19 and continue to July 31 for boys 10 to 15, and from August 2 to 16, for boys 13 to 18, Peter Spence, boys' work secretary, announces. The city camp for boys who cannot go to Thunderbird will be held at the Y from July 3 to 14.

A corn dog is a skinless wiener baked inside corn bread in a mold.

Biggest Crowd Gives Thanks for Victory



This is how Beacon Hill Park's broad playing field looked Tuesday as a record crowd gathered before a special stand to give thanks for victory in Europe. Here the Canadian Scottish Band and a group of Wrens, part of a detachment of service personnel from the parade, are shown before the platform. Victorians surrounded them from Douglas Street to the tip of the broom-covered hill.

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Suffers Head Wound

Pte. W. Hendry Cockin, 35, 1st Canadian Scottish, wounded in the head April 23, in Holland, is recovering, and expects to be fit soon, he states in a letter to his wife, Helen, who lives with their young daughter, Joan, at 414 Simcoe Street.

Cockin enlisted with the R.C.A. in 1942, and was a sergeant-instructor at Macaulay Point, reverting to the rank of private to go overseas.

Victoria Y.M.C.A. Toastmasters' Club, whose meeting for Tuesday night was canceled on account of the V-E Day celebrations, will convene at Douglas Hotel May 21, at 5.45.

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U.B.C. President Asks Postwar Federal Aid

VANCOUVER (CP) — Federal financial aid as well as building priorities for Canadian universities, was urged by Dr. Norman MacKenzie, president of the University of British Columbia, in a report issued Wednesday on plans of the U.B.C. for the post-war period.

Dr. MacKenzie said such aid is necessary if universities are to meet postwar educational demands. Present facilities such as lecture rooms, laboratories and the library, were not adequate at U.B.C. to take care of enrolment increases. A large increase in enrolment next fall was expected.

Canada May Release 5-Year Men On Leave

OTTAWA (CP) — An unofficial source said here he believed long-service soldiers now on leave from overseas service will be granted their discharge immediately they apply for it. Brig. G. A. H. Trudeau, district officer commanding Military District No. 12 (Saskatchewan), said Tuesday at Regina immediate discharge awaited long-service soldiers now on leave from overseas duty when they applied for it.

Uncle Ray

SOME OWLS HAVE LESS LENGTH THAN ROBIN REDBREAST

Most kinds of owls are large birds, ranging in length from 17 to 30 inches. The great horned owl and the great gray owl have a wingspread of 5 feet.

There are, however, many owls of small size. These include the burrowing owl, the elf owl and the pygmy owl.

The pygmy owl is, indeed, a small bird. It is only seven inches long when full grown. Compare that with the length of a robin—from 8 to 10 inches, counting the tail.



Pygmy owls are found on the western side of North America, from British Columbia down to Mexico. Some make their homes in Montana, Colorado, New Mexico and Utah. They like mountains.

Usually a pygmy owl makes its nest in a hollow in the trunk of a fir, pine or cedar tree. The height of the hollow may be from 8 to 75 feet. An old and deserted woodpecker's hole is a favorite place for this bird to build its nest.

In 1861 a traveler in southern California saw an even smaller owl than the pygmy. He was in the Mojave desert when he caught a sight of a little brown owl with a black-and-white collar on its neck. It was only about 6 inches long, hardly larger than a sparrow.

Since that time, many other owls of the same family have been seen and studied. They are known as "elf owls" and live in desert parts of Arizona and Mexico, as well as California. Elf owls are the smallest members of the whole tribe. Finding few trees in the desert, they go to giant cactus plants to find holes left by woodpeckers. In these holes they lay their eggs and raise their young. Their food is made up chiefly of beetles, ants and grasshoppers.

The burrowing owl is somewhat larger than the elf or pygmy. Its body bulges out more than that of a robin, but it is about the same length as an average robin.

Burrowing owls make their nests under the ground, often using holes left by prairie dogs, badgers or foxes.

To Be Posted Here

Lieut. R. A. Gonnason, R.C.N. V.R., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Gonnason, 290 Beach Drive, who has been serving on Atlantic convoy duty since graduation from H.M.C.S. Royal Roads in 1941, will leave the east coast this month to take over a new assignment here.

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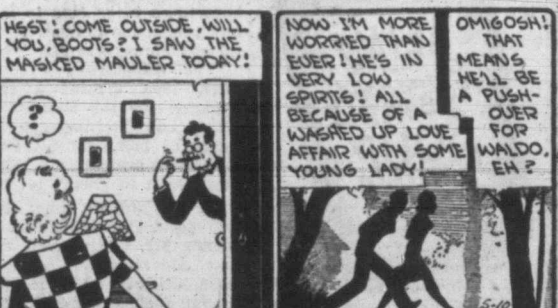
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Girl Correspondent Had Gay Time As First U.S. Group In Berlin

By VIRGINIA IRWIN
War Correspondent of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch
BERLIN (Delayed—AP) (Copy-righted) — I am one of the first three Americans to enter Berlin. After we crossed the Elbe River, where the Russians and Americans made contact this (Friday, April 27) afternoon, I arrived at Berlin at dark tonight with Andrew Tully, correspondent for the Boston Traveler, and jeep driver Sgt. John Wilson of Roxbury, Mass.

The air is heavy with smoke. Everywhere around us is the clatter of small arms fire. Russian artillery is pouring an almost constant barrage into the

heart of the city. But in this Russian command post, where we are guests of the Guards, Major Nikolai Kovaleski, there is a terrific celebration going on.

It was the strangest journey I have ever undertaken. We "ran off" the map and had to navigate by guess. None of us understood Russian. German road signs had been removed and replaced with their Russian equivalents.

PROVED IDENTITY
We got to Berlin on the strength of a crude hand-made American flag flying from our jeep, several hundred handshakes and repeated assurances to fierce Russians who repeatedly stopped us to ascertain that we were

"Amerikanski." Everywhere, as soon as we had convinced the Russians of our identity, we were mobbed.

The fierce fighting men of the Red Army in their tunics and great boots, shabby and ragged after their long war, riding towards Berlin in their strange assortment of vehicles, singing their fighting songs, drinking vodka, were like so many holiday-makers going on a great parade.

In the German capital, German dead lay on the sidewalks and in the front yards of the bomb-shattered homes of the Berlin suburbs. Streets were clogged with Russian tanks, guns, infantry in their shaggy fur hats and everywhere horses of the Russian army ran loose about the streets.

But the Russians were happy—with almost indescribable wild joy. They were in Berlin. In this German capital lies their true revenge for Leningrad and Stalingrad, for Sevastopol and Moscow. And the Russians were having their revenge. All along the road into Berlin, the fields along the roadways are littered with the carts and belongings of the Germans who tried to escape from the capital. For the Russians are not polite as Americans and Britons are to Germans who clog the roads in the paths of Allied traffic. The Russians drive over the German carts, push them off the road and upset them.

HAD GAY PARTY
This command post is in what is left of a German home in the battered city of Berlin, almost leveled by Allied bombers. There are no electric lights and no running water. But the guards-major is a kind of host who can rise above such difficulties. The minute I arrived he had his Cossack orderly, a fierce Mongolian with a great scar on his left cheek, ready with a dishpan of water. After I had washed my face the



Seven of these British Columbia newly-arrived veterans fought in the Italian theatre, the remainder on the northwest European front. All of them will be home shortly in the wake of V-E Day, the day they fought so hard to make possible. Pictured aboard ship, the group, left to right, front row: Pte. J. A. MacDonald and Pte. G. Tudor, Vancouver; Spr. S. C. Duffill, Victoria; Cpl. J. W. Powter, New Westminster; Sgt. I. S. Johnstone and Cfn. L. Winkelmans, both of Vancouver; and Spr. D. Lanfrance, Kelowna. Second row: Pte. F. O'Kranle and Pte. G. Gauthier, both of Vancouver; Pte. A. Pickles, Powell River; Pte. N. Hopkins, Penticton; Ptes. R. D. Swanson and P. Trainer, both of Vancouver; Pte. L. G. Lester, Victoria. Third row: Ptes. K. Long, Powell River; E. G. Pincoff, Vancouver; T. A. Finlott, Victoria; A. H. Butterfield, New Westminster; W. H. Morse, Vancouver; CSM. J. A. Hunter, Victoria, and Pte. A. P. Watt, Burns Lake.

guards-major produced some German face powder, a quarter-full bottle of German perfume and a cracked mirror.

I sat down to a candle-lit and flower-bedecked dinner table. The candelabra was upturned milk bottles and the flower vase was an old pickle jar. But the dinner was served with all the formality of a state function.

The "appetizer" was something that tasted like spiced salmon. Then came platefuls of a strange dish that tasted like mutton cooked over charcoal, masses of mashed potatoes with meat oil poured over them, a Russian cheese, four desserts, and platefuls of Russian-made pastries.

NUMEROUS TOASTS

After each course there were toasts to "the late and great President Roosevelt," to Premier Stalin, to President Truman, to Prime Minister Churchill, to Capt. Andre Tooley, to "Capt. Veergeene Erween," to the "Red Army," to "the American Army," to "Sergeant Wilson," and "to the American jeep."

As we drank our toasts the battle of Berlin raged only a few blocks away. As the artillery roared, the house shook and the candles fluttered. The candles are still fluttering as I write this story. The thought keeps coming into my mind that here is the greatest city-dump in the world, with the remains of bombed buildings all dumped in the same place with the dead.

Channel Islanders Here Happy At Liberation News

Nearly four years of enemy occupation were ended for the Channel Islanders with the unconditional surrender of Germany, but friends in Victoria will continue to send money and clothing until conditions are once again normal on the islands. J. E. Whittle, secretary of the Channel Islands Society in Victoria, said today:

"We cannot realize it here in Victoria how the people in the Channel Islands must feel today, once more to be able to live as free people and to know they are rid of their persecutors," he said.

"The collapse of France in June, 1940, created a serious situation for the islands. Both Jersey and Guernsey are within range of bombardment and all the islands are within a few minutes' flight of enemy territory."

On the 19th of June, 1940, it was decided to demilitarize the islands. Mr. Whittle said, adding that Alderney was completely evacuated, with a very few people leaving Sark. About 30,000 people left Jersey and Guernsey and all Guernsey schools were evacuated as units, he said.

Total population of the islands had been placed at 150,000 in the last census taken before the war.

"From reports of islanders who have escaped to the mainland we know that there is a scarcity of all the essentials that are necessary for normal comfort, such as shoes, clothing, soap, salt, tea and coffee," Mr. Whittle said.

"Since December last the relief ship Vega has arrived with Red Cross parcels, one parcel a month being given to each person."

The Islands were of no strategic importance lying no closer to the English coast than French territory held by the Germans, but prior to the German landings air raids on Jersey and Guernsey caused a small number of casualties and material damage to property.

Following the famous Commando raid on Sark Island in 1942, notices which had appeared in the Channel Islands' papers were reproduced in English newspapers, to give evidence that the Nazis were deporting British subjects from the islands to Germany.

In Victoria a branch of the

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AMERICAN LEAGUE
Batting—Stephens, St. Louis, .389.

Runs—Case, Washington, 15.
Runs batted in—Derry, New York, 15.
Hits—Binks and Case, Washington, 23.
Doubles—Moses, Chicago, 8.
Triples—Ten tied with 2.
Home runs—Derry, New York, 4.
Stolen bases—Case, Washington, 10.

Pitching—Benton, Detroit and Borowy, New York, 4-0.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Batting—Olmo, Brooklyn, .409.
Runs—Ott, New York, 20.
Runs batted in—Lombardi, New York, 20.
Hits—Rucker, New York 27.
Doubles—Nieman, Boston and Kurowski, St. Louis, 6.
Triples—Gustine, Pittsburgh, 2.
Home runs—Lombardi, New York, 5.
Stolen bases—McCormick, Cincinnati, 5.

Pitching—Voiselle, New York, and Derringer, Chicago, 4-0.

Fight Results

Cleveland — Tommy Bell, 146 Youngstown, Ohio, TKO Chuck Hunter, 146½, Cleveland, 5. LeRoy Jackson, 129, Cleveland, outpointed Victor Flores, 129, Mexico City, 8.
Paterson, N.J. — Pat Demers, 133½, Brockton, Mass., outpointed Danny Bartfield, 137½, New York, 10.

New York, 10. Andy Hayward, 118, Newark, and Benny May, 122, Montreal, drew, 6.
Jersey City — Bobby Smith, 128, Philadelphia, outpointed George Cooper, 128, New York, 10. Sal Richie, 146½, Brooklyn, knocked out Patsy Zocanna, 140, New York, 2.
Oakland, Calif. — All Couture, 148, Bangor, Me., vs. Chester Slider, 146, Fresno, Calif., a draw, 10. Pete Lakeovich, 152, Fresno, TKO Lloyd Michigan, 210, Detroit, 1.

Helen Keller elected to be tried before a judge and jury when she appeared in County Court Wednesday. Judge H. H. Shandley presiding. She is charged with the theft of two \$50 Victory Bonds. William Fournier, charged with receiving two gasoline license and ration books, stolen from Scott & Peden Ltd., was granted bail of \$2,500.

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tin.....11¢	4-lb. tin (4 coupons).....67¢
GREEN BEANS, ORCHARD	APRICOT JAM, AYLMER,
GROVE, 20-oz. tin.....11¢	24-oz. jar (2 coupons), 32¢
KENTUCKY WONDER	MARMALADE, TASTY PAK,
BEANS, AYLMER, Choice, 55,	1-lb. jar (1 coupon).....14¢
20-oz. tin.....12¢	PEAS, LYNN VALLEY,
TOMATOES, QUAKER,	20-oz. tin (1 coupon).....18¢
Choice, 20-oz. tin.....14¢	
PUMPKIN, AYLMER, Fancy,	SODA BISCUITS, MACORM-
28-oz. tin.....14¢	ICKS, pkt.....18¢
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tins.....15¢	for.....19¢
SANDWICH MEATS, HED-	SELF-POLISHING WAX,
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Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

VICTORY of Merrittion Helleats over Vancouver Lauries, in the Canadian senior basketball final on the mainland, was no surprise to majority of coast cage followers. Literally a team of pick-ups, Lauries were not given much chance to upset the defending titleholders from Ontario, despite the fact the easterners made the trip to the coast minus two of their regulars. In my opinion Lauries did well to win one game from the Gats and hold them to such close decisions in two out of the other three games. Lauries lost nothing in defeat, as their club could hardly rate with former British Columbia participants in national finals such as Westerns, Varsity, Blue Ribbons and Dominos. It was just unfortunate that our own Kins could not have functioned more smoothly and won that B.C. playoff which would have resulted in the Canadian final being played here. It would have been a natural from the standpoint of attendance.

LIFTING OF THE BAN on horse racing in the United States Wednesday, a natural follow up after the declaration of V-E Day, must have been most welcome news to hundreds of owners south of the border. A lot of the little fellows have been hard put to exist since the order went into effect at the beginning of the year and would have missed more than the odd meal if financial assistance had not been forthcoming from the tracks. From all indications racing will likely be resumed within a few days. All the major tracks have kept everything in order for a quick return to business. Strangely enough in the mail today was a condition book from the Washington Jockey Club, operators of the Longacres track. Racing will start there June 23 with the \$20,000 added Longacres Mile set for Aug. 26.

ONE OF THE best-known owner-jockey partnerships in Canadian racing has been severed. Jockey Billy Woodhouse, under contract to George Irvine for the past six years, has decided to go it on his own. Since the Vancouver horseman picked up the home town boy the 25-year-old Woodhouse has picked up something like \$50,000. Hedley scored his greatest triumph last year in the Hollywood Gold Cup on Happy Issue. For that winning ride he got 10 per cent of the winnings. The race was worth \$75,000. Woodhouse plans to travel east to campaign on Toronto and New York tracks as a free agent.

EXTERMINATOR, winner of 50 out of 100 races during eight years of turf campaigning, at 30 years old, and Man o' War, beaten only once in his illustrious career, at 28, bid fair to join the list of patriarchs among thoroughbreds. The oldest known thoroughbred was Merrick, which died in 1941 at the age of 38. Prior to Merrick, the oldest racer was an English horse named Parrot, foaled in 1791, which died in Germany in 1827 at 36.

Exterminator and Man o' War are holding their age gracefully.

San Diego Takes Over Second In Coast Ball Race

San Diego's surging Padres had a slim but undisputed hold today on second place in the Coast League after a 5 to 1 victory over the loop-leading Portland Beavers last night, their second straight of the series.

The four-way race for the top grew hotter than the proverbial "depot stove" as Portland's margin was pared to three and a half games. Oakland and Seattle, tied for third, are only a half game behind San Diego.

Yallie Eaves, league strikeout king, held the Beavers to four hits in registering his eighth win of the season against three defeats. He whiffed seven batters to boost his strikeout total to 63.

Seattle, which tumbled from second to fourth last week, kept pushing along the comeback trail with its second in a row over Sacramento, winning 8 to 3. The Solons were able to get only six hits off young Alec Palica and his relief, Sylvester Johnson.

San Francisco shoved the tail-end Hollywood Stars deeper into the cellar with a 9 to 4 victory, giving the Seals a 2 to 0 series edge. The O'Doul men exploded in the eighth after two men were out to score all nine runs off Jim Shary and Johnny Intelkofer.

Oakland lost its tenuous grip on second place in splitting a twin bill with Los Angeles, winning the opener, 13 to 3, and dropping the extra-inning nightcap 5 to 4.

For the seventh time since Aug. 24, 1943, the colorful right-hander had turned back Joe McCarthy's club.

Trout's fourth success of the year, coming at the opening of the Yankees' first western trip, served to accentuate the positive value of the Tigers' three-star mound staff. It was the Dizzy one's fifth complete game to four for Al Benton and two for Hal Newhouse, a total of 11 in 15 contests.

As the Bengals elbowed past New York into second place it was beginning to look like the same old story all over again. One bad three-run fifth inning cost rookie Al Gettel his first defeat, 4 to 1.

Fans interested in statistics got a kick out of Mel Ott's 49th major league homer in the New York Giants' night game 6 to 1 nod over Cincinnati before 23,303. It tied Ott with the late Lou Gehrig for third place in the all-time home run derby. Only Babe Ruth with 714 and Jimmy Foxx with 527 were ahead.

CARDS BEATEN
Brooklyn earned a 6 to 4 verdict over the world champion St. Louis Cardinals, for their fifth successive triumph. Rookie Vic Lombardi tightened up in the clutches to minimize 10 Card hits as Dixie Walker bashed a triple and double to doom Harry Brecheen.

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Detroit Takes Second

Trout Halts Yankees

Detroit was breathing hot on the necks of the first place Chicago White Sox today only a half game behind because Dizzy Trout still had the hex on the New York Yankees.

For the seventh time since Aug. 24, 1943, the colorful right-hander had turned back Joe McCarthy's club.

Trout's fourth success of the year, coming at the opening of the Yankees' first western trip, served to accentuate the positive value of the Tigers' three-star mound staff. It was the Dizzy one's fifth complete game to four for Al Benton and two for Hal Newhouse, a total of 11 in 15 contests.

As the Bengals elbowed past New York into second place it was beginning to look like the same old story all over again. One bad three-run fifth inning cost rookie Al Gettel his first defeat, 4 to 1.

Fans interested in statistics got a kick out of Mel Ott's 49th major league homer in the New York Giants' night game 6 to 1 nod over Cincinnati before 23,303. It tied Ott with the late Lou Gehrig for third place in the all-time home run derby. Only Babe Ruth with 714 and Jimmy Foxx with 527 were ahead.

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Women Bowlers Hold Annual Banquet

With Charlie Chislett presenting the prizes, members of the Arcade Women's Bowling League gathered at Terry's last night for their annual banquet. Mrs. Ann Mills, president, was in the chair.

Arcades, league champions, received their award and the W.I.B.C. championship trophy, which they won at the recent tournament. Mamie Worth took the high average honors with a mark of 153.4, while Mary Porter, captain of the Arcades, finished second with an average of 153.3.

High three-game honors went to Mary Porter with a score of 602, and Ruth Mercer, with a score of 247 took the high single game prize.

Julie Barrie, all-events champion; Nan and Kay Burns, doubles titleholders; and Ingrid Goodman, singles champion, all received their awards won in the Women's International Bowling Congress tournament staged at the Arcade Alloys.

Open Match Play In Colwood Golf
Match-play will open Sunday in the men's championship at the Colwood Golf Club.

Draw follows:
CHAMPIONSHIP
A. Osherovich vs. E. Thomas; R. Dunnett vs. Dr. Bryant; B. Humming vs. J. Peitz; P. Thomas vs. J. Lee; H. Lineham vs. C. Bennett; D. Bunn vs. J. Bownman; A. Straith vs. J. Metson; Dr. McNiven vs. C. Denham.
Defeated eight championship flight will form the first flight.

SECOND FLIGHT
G. Rumbay vs. J. Beatty; J. Findlay vs. H. Rimes; L. Stappin vs. F. Partington; Dr. Higgs vs. J. Goe.
THIRD FLIGHT
L. Nelson vs. A. Dore; L. Campbell, bye.

Pigeon Racing
The V.R.P.C. had its first old bird race of the season from Tacoma, a distance of 90 miles. Two hundred and one birds were liberated at 9 in the morning, with 23 members competing. The first bird clocked by J. Cambrey at 12:08 p.m. Wm. McPherson had the best pool bird. Results follow:

Court Martial Wins 2,000 Guineas
NEWMARKET, Eng. (CP)—Viscount Astor's Court Martial won the 2,000 Guineas classic mile today, beating the favorite, Dante, by a neck. Royal Charger, an outsider, ran third.

VERLEY WINNER
Gordon Verley defeated Ken Lea and Hugh Francis in a play-off for medal honors in the men's championship at the Uplands Golf Club. The trio finished in a tie in the qualifying round and in the play-off Verley carried a 73.

Cocker Spaniel Best
Cocker spaniel came back into its own at the spring championship show of the Victoria City Kennel Club, held Wednesday at the Crystal Garden, when Mrs. F. Anderline's Ebony's Blackout, Am. Ch. Mrs. F. Anderline, Tacoma, Wash., was the best.

Best Sporting—Cocker Spaniel, Ebony's Blackout, Am. Ch. Mrs. F. Anderline, Tacoma, Wash.
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Best Working—Boxer, Mabeline's Full Page, Grant Mahood, Vancouver.
Best Terrier—Wire Fox Terrier, Brisk's Standard Brierley, Am. and Can. Ch. P. K. Nichol & Son, Seattle, Wash.
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Best Non-sporting—Boston Terrier, Playgirl I Am the Guy, Am. and Can. Ch. J. Hayfield, Portland, Ore.
Best Toy—Toy Poodle, Le Monde Club de France, Am. and Can. Ch. Mrs. R. Jacob, Seattle, Wash.
Best Greyhound—Mrs. Fletcher, Vancouver.
Best Senior Puppy—Bismarckian, Green's Bismarck, Mrs. E. Bell, Victoria.
Best Junior Puppy—Labrador, Vics Winsome Cuyana, Grant Mahood, Vancouver.
Best Novice—Pekingese, Mounale of Jule, Mrs. J. O. Ryan, Seattle, Wash.

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U.S. Horse Racing Gets Away Saturday

NEW YORK (AP)—More than 10,000 thoroughbreds were champing at the bit today as the lifting of the first nationwide ban on racing found virtually all racing centres in the United States either ready to resume operations, or close to it.

The racing blackout, which began last Jan. 3, was lifted yesterday by war mobilizer Fred M. Vinson.

Earliest opening dates planned were for Narragansett, R.I., and Sportsman's Park, Chicago, those tracks scheduling their inaugurals for Saturday. Other sectional openings either decided upon or desired are:

May 16 — Pimlico (Maryland) joint meeting; Keeneland at Churchill Downs, Ky.; May 21: Jamaica, N.Y.; May 29: Delaware Park, Wilmington; May 30: Cleveland district; June 23: Longacres, Washington; July 13: Varden State Park, N.J.

The California Racing Commission will meet tomorrow to allot dates for the state's tracks. Santa Anita said it hoped to open Monday.

Beulah Park was expected to begin Ohio's season this month, and West Virginia's Charles Town and Wheeling Tracks may also get under way before the end of May.

The war manpower commission will remove its "zero" employment ceiling for tracks, a regulation which permitted hiring only essential maintenance workers.

NO SPECIAL TRAINS
The office of defence transportation issued an order permitting horse shipments, but restrictions in effect before the ban will continue, meaning no special trains or extra equipment.

In Chicago, Col. Matt Winn said the more than 100 entries for the Kentucky Derby will be announced Saturday, when the date for the event probably will be announced—probably June 2 or 9. It originally was scheduled for May 3.

New York's May 21 opening date is contingent upon the state racing commission approving dates requested by the five tracks here.

The Detroit Racing Commission is preparing to appeal a circuit court injunction making racing illegal at the Fair Grounds.

Turf figures predict the sport and business will flourish even beyond the peak attained in 1944.

Wagering in 17 states hit \$1,209,973,122 over a full season last year, with some \$56,000,000 in revenue for those states. Total attendance has approximately 18,000,000. Since Pearl Harbor, racing contributed some \$17,000,000 to war relief agencies and more than \$50,000,000 in war bonds were sold at tracks. In recent years, New York's wagering has comprised about 25 per cent of the national total.

There will be fewer race programs this curtailed season, but they should be better ones, as all major stakes will be run in the time remaining. Tracks here, for instance, may have a virtual "stake-a-day" schedule. New York usually has a 180-day regular season but a belated May 21 opening would mean a loss of six weeks.

TRACK WORKOUT
Y.M.C.A. track and field tryout, scheduled for Tuesday, but canceled on account of V-E Day, will be held tonight at 6 at the Victoria High School grounds.

Coach Archie McKinnon reported a good turnout for the first practice last Saturday, but would like to see even more competing for places on the team.

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Favorites Advance In Oak Bay Golf

Medalist Bill Newcombe advanced safely through the first round of match play in the men's championship at the Victoria Golf Club with a 2 and 1 victory over Col. R. L. Fortt.

Walter Newcombe, another strong contender for the crown, eliminated C. L. McLaughlin 6 and 5.

Second round of match play is scheduled Sunday. Results follow:

CHAMPIONSHIP
Wm. Newcombe won from Col. R. L. Fortt, 2 and 1.
H. B. Corbin won from H. Haynes, 4 and 3.
S. A. Haynes won from H. A. Tomalin, 3 and 2.
W. J. R. Peers won from H. Husband, 3 and 1.

Walter Newcombe won from C. L. McLaughlin, 6 and 5.
H. F. Hepburn won from J. Leslie Bell by default.
E. Horsman won from W. B. Leach, 1 up.

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K.V.'S PRACTICE
A practice of the K.V.'s C section football team will be held tonight at Central Park, starting at 6:30.

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popular resort owner says, "if
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the five months — May, June,
July, August and September. If,
on the other hand, they all try to
come in the crowded school holi-
day months of July and August,
there are going to be many dis-
appointments, for we simply
can't fit them all in at that time."

Which brings up the point that
Vancouver Island is a very beau-
tiful place during May and June,
no matter what part you choose
for a vacation. Wild roses and
other native flowers are in bloom,
the sun shines warmly and the
skies are clear and blue. You can
swim in the lakes and along the
seashore, or you can go up in the
hills and see the mountain
flowers. Year after year, more
people are finding this out. They
are the ones who take an early
vacation. This year, if you can
arrange it, why don't you try it,
too?

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and hotels are open now—or will
be by the first of June. Make
your reservation early—and avoid
disappointment.

Courtenay Man Named To Vegetable Board

VANCOUVER (CP) — R. N.
Mangles of Courtenay, Leslie Gil-
more of Richmond and Arthur
Swenson of Ladner, were chosen
by acclamation as members of the
British Columbia Coast Vegetable
Marketing Board when nomina-
tions closed Wednesday.

Mr. Mangles will represent
Vancouver Island and Mr. Gil-
more and Mr. Swenson the main-
land.

This is the first time in the
history of the board that all mem-
bers were elected by acclamation.

Russian Army On March to Victory Incredible Sight, Says A.P. Man

By HAL BOYLE
PARIS (Delayed-AP) — The
Russian army on the march looks
like a great plague of locusts
moving over the land in in-
credible numbers.

It is an almost unbelievable
sight, this vast, seemingly chaotic
movement of men, horses and
machines. It seems irresistible.
No U.S. correspondents have
been shown the full power of the
Red Army — particularly its
armored might—but a number
have driven 25 or more miles
into the Soviet army lines to
cover meetings between Russian
and U.S. army commanders.

They all came back a little
dazed. Their first reaction was:
"How could a people's army
such as this ever whip the pro-
fessional German army?"

American soldiers who have
been behind the lines on official
missions are inclined to return
in the same state of puzzlement.
They can't figure out how these
ragged, dirt-stained peasant
legions ever halted the massed
power of Adolf Hitler's panzers,
let alone throw them back 1,400
miles and wipe them out in their
own green Prussian fields.

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these people that you get a pos-
sible key to their startling vic-
tories. It is hard to imagine a
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birth and temperament to guer-
rilla warfare than these moust-
ached, close-cropped Ukrainians
who have just had a share in the
capture of Berlin.

We passed through one advanc-
ing infantry outfit on the way to
Marshal Ivan S. Konev's head-
quarters to attend a meeting with
Gen. Omar N. Bradley. It was
like trying to climb through a
bleachers crowd on the way out
of a ball park.

Smudge-faced, pert Russian
women police nimble threaded
the official party through the
disorderly procession, using red
and yellow "stop" and "go" signs
with the proficiency of an eagle
scout sending a semaphore mes-
sage.

Without their efficient help it
would have been impossible to
buck the tide of Russian vehicles
moving toward the Elbe River.
These stocky little yellow-
haired military police girls have
a vocabulary of abuse that would
leave a Manhattan traffic cop
speechless with admiration. When
they slap up the red cloth flag
with an imperious wave even the
fiercest cavalryman backs up his
horse tamely.

There are many women in the
Red Army, but only a compara-
tively few actually carry a rifle into
combat. Most of them act as
nurses, military police or work
in army kitchens preparing and
serving food.

Transport still appears to be
the biggest problem of the ordi-
nary Russian doughboys' outfit
and they solve it as they do the
food problem by taking what
they need from the countryside.

COMMANDERED VEHICLES

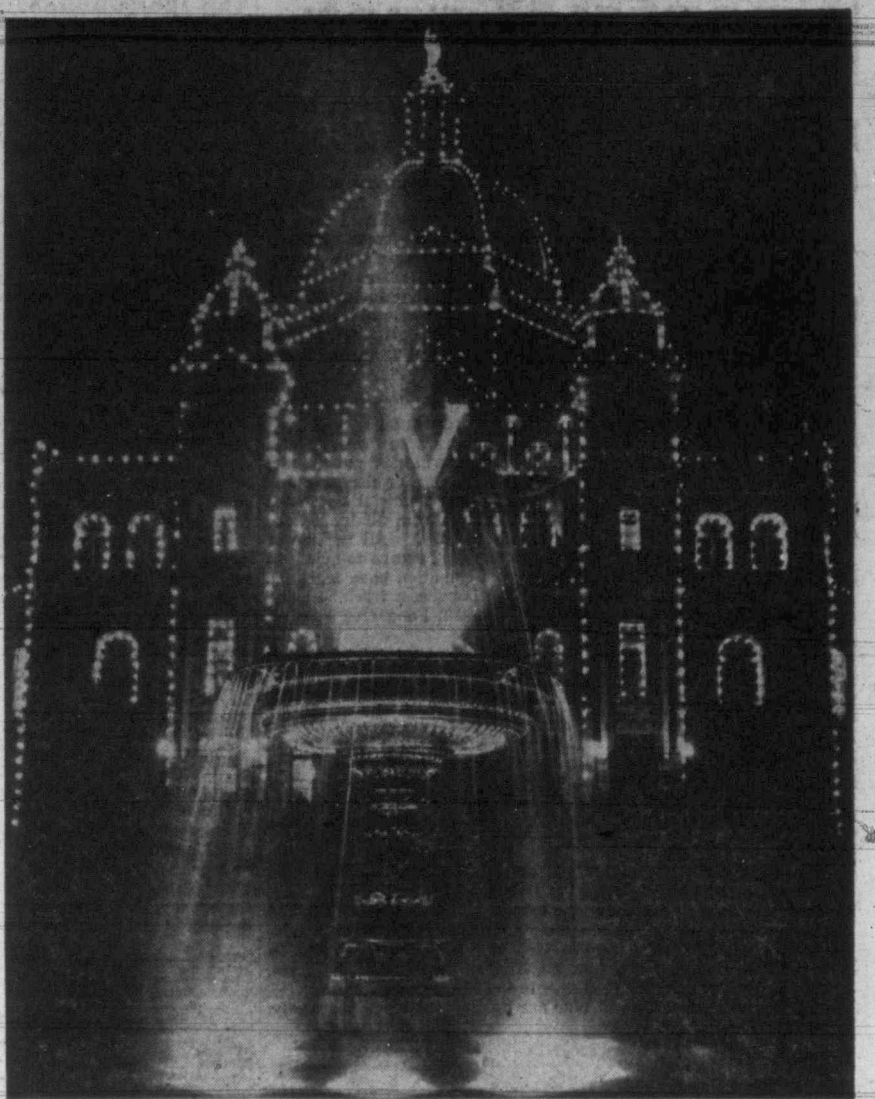
The Russians have been able
to continue their long march by
taking vehicles as well as food
stores from the army and nation
they were conquering.

You see many U.S. two-and-
one-half-ton trucks and jeeps in
the Russian columns, but a ma-
jority of their vehicles are shaky
captured German carts and
decrepit cars. They move on
anything with wheels — from
bicycles to baby carriages—any-
thing that will hold them or their
supplies.

And they move in endless col-
umns like a lane of ants on the
way to a banquet. They are
laughing, quarreling, singing,
munching bread, shouting from
vehicle to vehicle, and waving
their tommyguns—never still
long.

They come on — wave after
wave—with stamina and vitality
inexhaustible. You appreciate
for the first time why German
gunners, their positions flooded
over by these waves of inexor-
able Russians, gave up their
task as hopeless and retreated to
the American lines.

Watching with awe this motley
army file past with red banners
flying from every battered
vehicle, one U.S. soldier said:
"They look like a cattle
stampede on wheels."



The Parliament Buildings Tuesday night were decked out in festive clothing of lights and an illumin-
ated "V" to mark V-E Day. The fountain, in the foreground with its multi-colored, changing lights,
blazed forth for the first time since Christmas, and proved to be one of the outstanding attractions
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Miners Must Renew Certificates Now

Renewal of free miners' certificates must be made by May 31, it was announced today by the

Department of Mines at the Parliament Buildings.

All certificates representing property held under the Mineral Act, Placer-mining Act and Free Miners Exemption Act must be renewed. The fees are \$5 for individual miners and \$50 and \$100 for incorporated companies.

The provisional free miners' certificates must not be confused with the ordinary free miners' certificates, the announcement warned. Provisional free miners' certificates, issued free of cost, are good only for staking a placer claim and recording same with-out fee.

Stancombe Now Chief Of Esquimalt Police

Resignation of H. W. V. Pecknold from the office of chief of police of Esquimalt, for reasons of ill-health, was accepted at a meeting of the Esquimalt Police Commission Wednesday night.

Sgt. Gilbert Stancombe has been promoted to the office of chief, and took over his new duties immediately.

Mr. Pecknold joined the Esquimalt force as a constable in 1929, becoming chief of police in 1932. Reeve Thomas Hatfield, William Barker and E. Durling comprise the police commission.

In Police Court

Claude Harrison, city prosecutor, in city police court today asked withdrawal of a charge of auto theft against 19-year-old Pte. Nicholas Lunn. Lunn pleaded guilty to a lesser charge of taking an auto without consent of the owner and was fined \$25. Magistrate H. C. Hall had previously noted the withdrawn charge carried a minimum penalty of one year's imprisonment.

Friday was set as the date for preliminary hearing of a charge of receiving a stolen gasoline coupon book faced by Earl R. Sleen.

GREENWELL AT LAKE HILL
First public meeting of George Greenwell, Labor Progressive candidate in the Nanaimo riding during the forthcoming federal election, will be held at 8 Monday night at the Lake Hill Hall. Besides Mr. Greenwell, councillors William White and Robert Noble will speak.

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More B.C. Cars Get Rations This Year

British Columbians are making their old cars run despite the predictions of some that thousands would be worn out by five years of wartime running.

According to figures released today by K. A. Hood of Motor Vehicle Branch, 2,421 more British Columbians received AA and motorcycle gasoline ration books up to April 30 this year than during the same period last year. Mr. Hood admits, however, that part of the increase, which amounts to 2.85 per cent, may be caused by the increase in population.

Up to April 30 this year the Victoria office had issued 12,504 ration books against 12,486 during the same time last year. In Vancouver 37,550 books, against 35,142, have been issued. The New Westminster office has issued 8,101, compared with 8,014 last year, and the rest of B.C. is slightly down, 86,097 books this year in comparison with 28,189 last year.

These statistics do not include commercial ration or coupon books other than AA. There has been a tremendous increase in the number of commercial vehicles in the province.

Malahat Closed Another 6 Weeks

The Island Highway over the Malahat will be closed for about another six weeks, it was estimated today by A. Dixon, deputy minister of public works.

The road is closed while the General Construction Co. completes building a new highway over the top of the hill. The project is known as the Rough Creek diversion and is the last in a series of construction jobs to rebuild the Island Highway between Colwood and Duncan.

Cars during the meantime are being detoured over the Shawnigan Lake Road through to Cobble Hill.

Meanwhile survey crews are going ahead with studying routes for the new highway north of Duncan. Construction of this section of road is on the Works Department's postwar list of projects.

Telephone Pioneers

B.C. Telephone Pioneers will gather from cities and towns throughout the province at the Hotel Vancouver, Saturday evening, for their annual dinner and party. This company organization includes all personnel with more than 20 years' service with the B.C. Telephone. Ten members of the Victoria staff, some with more than 30 years' service will attend.

Town Topics

Greater Victoria Amalgamation Committee will meet Friday evening at 8 in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium.

A special emergency meeting of the board of directors of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce will be held at 3.30 Friday.

The Greater Victoria Airport Committee will meet Wednesday at 8 in the city council committee room.

A building permit was issued by the city for the erection of a duplex dwelling at 601 Moss St. and 1304 Carnes St. to H. W. Nielson, cost \$28,200.

Hon. H. Anscombe, Minister of Municipal Affairs, has requested the city of Victoria to appoint representatives to the meeting of the Municipal Officers' Association, to be held here June 4 and 5.

A letter of commendation from the Native Sons of B.C. was received today by the City Council on their request to the provincial government for funds to beautify Victoria. The letter suggests the City Council call a mass meeting on the subject.

In collision with a car driven by Harold Carpenter, 130 Beechwood Avenue, at Blanshard and Broad Streets, Wednesday afternoon, 12-year-old cyclist, Grace Isherwood, Angela Hotel, was taken home by city police suffering a deep cut on the right side of her head.

Mayor Percy George is in Vancouver today meeting with Premier John Hart and the mayors of Vancouver and New Westminster on the matter of the survey of B.C. Electric Railway property in the three cities and the possible taking over of the service as a municipal service. He will be back in the city Thursday.

Applications for the position of city solicitor have been received from A. J. Patton, R. Cassidy and A. Blair Patterson, formerly of Edmonton, it was announced at today's City Council meeting by Mayor Percy George. The appointment of the solicitor will be considered by council meeting in committee of the whole Monday morning.

Three Public Health Nurses Suggested To Replace V.O.N.

By Jan. 1, 1946, Victoria will have three public health nurses working full time, it plans outlined by Dr. R. Felton, medical health officer, to special city council meeting today are adopted.

The V.O.N. has served notice that it intends to discontinue all public health nursing, Dr. Felton told the council. The care of communicable diseases is being discontinued immediately, he said, necessitating the immediate employment of one public health nurse. However, the V.O.N. will keep on with its baby clinic and educational work until the end of the year, when at least two and possibly three more public health nurses will be required by the city.

The V.O.N. will continue with bedside nursing care, he said.

He asked that the council take up the matter of finding a building to house the offices required for public health nursing, which must be ready for them by Jan. 1.

He said he thought he could run the new public health nursing set-up for less than the \$5,000 now being granted to the V.O.N. for this work, and save approximately \$1,000.

Ald. J. A. Worthington suggested it might be possible to find quarters for the nurses to work in the W.C.T.U. home on Ida Street. The whole matter was referred back to the health committee for discussion and recommendations.

The four tax and expenditure by-laws received their final reading at the meeting, from which Ald. Ed Williams, Ald. F. A. Willis and Ald. J. D. Hunter were absent.

Tim Buck Foresees Dominion Coalition

Fragmentation of politics in Dominion electoral ridings indicated a loss of faith by Canadians in old-line parties and an unwillingness to vote for new parties, said Tim Buck, founder and national leader of the Labor Progressive Party, who is here today to address a rally at the Royal Victoria Theatre tonight.

Mr. Buck believes the next federal government will be a coalition. He said many Tories hope to be able to form a government with Liberal forces and there were plenty of Liberals who would support such a move. P. A. G. Cardin's formation of the Front National Party in Quebec was an open bid for a coalition of Liberals and Conservatives, he said.

Meanwhile, Mr. Buck said, there was a growing belief among labor that if there is going to be a coalition government, labor should be represented in it. The battle on the labor front, he said, was whether labor should back old-line party members pledged to full employment and security, or whether the C.C.F. program was the only panacea for unemployment and depression.

Bird Lecture

"The Song of the Dawn," a program of bird songs and descriptions was presented by Charles Bowman Hutchins, a naturalist and artist, in Metropolitan United Church, Wednesday night, under auspices of the Metropolitan United Church Women's Auxiliary.

Mr. Hutchins, who is known as the "bird man of America," discussed the benefits of birds to agriculture and gave demonstrations of the whistles of North American birds. An exhibition of bird and wild life paintings during which Mr. Hutchins described the habits and whistled the song of each bird depicted, concluded the program.

Mrs. Hutchins played the harp and sang several songs, while Mr. Hutchins gave bird whistles.

Official Opening Of Oaklands Pre-Primary

The official opening of the Oaklands pre-primary class was held Wednesday afternoon, when parents, friends, and members of the school board visited the school. Fifty children, all of whom will be ready to enter Grade 1 next fall are in attendance at the class, and under the supervision of Miss Margaret Sanson, teacher, visitors saw the children carry on their routine.

Tea was served by officers of the P.T.A. at Oaklands and was attended by school trustees, Mrs. A. O. Booth and W. A. Bayliss, as well as Ald. B. J. Gadsden and H. L. Campbell, municipal inspector of schools.

Major Bullock-Webster has returned from Prince George and Princeton, where he was the adjudicator at the Drama Festivals. Musical items of the Prince George Festival, the largest in the province, were judged by Mrs. Florence Gunn of Victoria.

Lester Patrick Back in Victoria

Lester Patrick, vice-president of Madison Square Garden in New York, accompanied by Mrs. Patrick, arrived home Wednesday afternoon. Lester will spend two weeks here, following which he will head east on a business trip, returning in a month's time to remain for the summer.

Despite the fact he had to spend V-E Day on the train, en route west, Lester was overjoyed at the smashing victory of the Allies, and expressed the opinion National Hockey League teams might get some consolation out of the surrender of Germany through the return of a certain percentage of their players now in service. "In view of Canada's policy in regard to the war in the Pacific, there is reason to believe some of our players may get back into hockey," Patrick said.

New York Rangers, like all the teams in the N.H.L., experienced a marvelous season, Patrick said. "All sports events at the Garden have proved an outstanding success," he remarked.

Lester stated that his two sons, Lynn and Murray, serving with the armed forces of the United States as army lieutenants, are now stationed at Texas and Virginia, respectively. Murray recently returned from several months' service overseas, while Lynn is at present taking a special course.

15 New Companies Registered Here

Fifteen B.C. firms were incorporated under the Companies Act at the Parliament Buildings during the week, maintaining the biggest boom in company registrations in years.

The new firms with their capitalization and offices are listed as follows:

Stork Craft Ltd., \$15,000; Campbell Church Jr. Ltd., \$30,000; Island Insurance Agency Ltd., \$10,000; Newton Farms Ltd., \$25,000; Major Construction Co. Ltd., \$10,000; Warren Bros. Ltd., \$10,000; Pacific Distributing Co. Ltd., \$25,000; Associated Trading Corp. Ltd., \$25,000; Communication Equipment Co. Ltd., \$10,000; and Buchanan, Donald and Wilson Ltd., \$10,000, all of Vancouver; Stratford Electric Ltd., \$10,000, New Westminster; Kootenay Hot Springs Development Co. Ltd., \$100,000, Nelson; the Chilliwack Arabian Steed Farm Ltd., \$10,000, Chilliwack; Industrial Billieting Co., \$25,000; Kelowna, and Dickie Bros. Logging Co. Ltd., \$10,000, Port McNeill.

Registered under the Co-operative Act were: Cowichan Angler Association, Duncan; Auto Courts and and Resorts Association of B.C., Vancouver, and the Pioneer Citizens' Association, New Westminster.

Theatre Managers Transferred

Jack Armstrong, manager of the Plaza Theatre, who has been in show business in Victoria for 10 years, has been transferred to a Vancouver theatre, it was announced today.

Mr. Armstrong has been manager at the Plaza since 1941, and prior to that was manager of the Rio Theatre. A native of Nanaimo, he is a member of the Junior Chamber of Commerce and has been with the Canadian Scottish Reserve for the past three years.

William Calladine, who has been at the Rio Theatre for eight years and manager since 1941, has been transferred to a theatre at Ladysmith.

Tory Meetings

The Oak Bay district Progressive Conservative Association is scheduled to hold the following meetings, according to notice of R. A. Wootton, president: At MacDonald Hall, Fort Street, at 8 Friday and each following Friday until election day, June 11; St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay, Monday at 8 St. Mary's Hall at 8 next Thursday evening, when Sir Henry Drayton, Progressive Conservative candidate, will give an address.

'V.F.D. Fire Barge'

Name of Victoria's fire barge was changed from Louisa to V.F.D. Fire Barge, by the fire wardens' committee, Wednesday afternoon, Ald. H. M. Diggon said after the meeting.

Harbor authorities are being asked to register the barge, and another demonstration will be held soon for the benefit of businessmen owning waterfront property.

Permission was granted to a Free Methodist group to erect a 30-foot square tent at the corner of Balmoral Road and Cook Street, in which to hold gospel meetings. The tent must be fire-proofed, and the group must undertake to leave the grounds tidy after all meetings, the committee decided.

B.C. Deserves Best In Rehabilitation, Says Walter Woods

Canada's plans for rehabilitating her war veterans are the best in the world, said Walter Woods, deputy minister of Veterans' Affairs, in the Dominion government, to a meeting of the Victoria Citizens' Rehabilitation Council, in the City Council Chamber, at the City Hall, Thursday morning.

British Columbia, which claims more than half the V.C.'s awarded to Canadians in this war out of 7 per cent of the country's population, deserves the best from its Rehabilitation Councils. The function of a citizens' rehabilitation council is to co-ordinate the work in the community, in order to get the help of all parts of the community willing to serve, so that the work is done in an orderly fashion, just as in business and the government, he said.

After addressing the gathering, Mr. Woods answered questions from the floor.

HOUSING PROBLEM

One of the difficulties is the problem of housing, which "is not peculiar to Victoria," he said. "It is not a matter under the control of my department," but the speaker asserted he would be happy to be the meeting's spokesman in making representations to the proper authorities.

Dealing with the resolution of the council urging that 100 houses be built by the Wartime Housing Limited to be reserved for veterans, Mr. Woods said he thought a provision already existed by which a municipality can enter into an agreement with the Dominion government to have the government construct houses as a wartime measure.

The department has reconditioning centres for neuro-psychiatric cases away from hospitals in healthful surroundings, as when a man is in a hospital he knows he's sick, Mr. Woods said. "The results have been perfectly amazing." And the government hopes to build one in the vicinity of Vancouver for this fall.

GRATUITIES

Payment of the veteran's gratuity is being speeded up. When the Gratuity Act came into force there was a backlog of 2,000 cases, but the officials have almost caught up now and an ex-serviceman can expect to receive his gratuity within one month of his discharge. However, there is no provision at present to pay a re-establishment credit to the widow of a soldier killed on active service, Mr. Woods explained.

The Department of Reconstruction is concerned with an economy that will provide work for all our people, and the veterans are only part of them.

Mr. Woods conveyed the thanks of the Minister for Veterans' Affairs to the council for what they had done, and offered to provide accommodation for them in the department's office if it can get enough space in the Belmont Building.

Forrest L. Shaw, chairman of the meeting, said that the council consists of over 80 people, who for all our people, and the veterans are only part of them.

After giving a list of the various committees, he said that housing was one of the major problems of the council, and it should be considered part of the war effort since it was just as essential for servicemen to have houses as to build barracks for the war.

J. Mooredon, chairman of the housing committee, suggested that the Dominion government should provide small houses for the veterans and give a priority for their construction.

If half of the 25 per cent of our lumber that goes to the United States were retained in Canada it would solve our housing problem, he said.

Other speakers included Mayor Percy George, R. W. Mayhew, M.P., and V. L. Leigh, president of the Victoria Builders' Exchange.

36,226 Passengers On Cars On V-E Day

B.C. Electric passenger figures compiled today showed that 36,226 Victorians rode on the city's streetcars and buses during V-E Day, Tuesday.

E. Harrison, accountant, pointed out that while these figures are lower than those for an average day which runs to more than 38,000, the majority of V-E day passengers were carried during the afternoon period. On an average day the totals are spread over an 18-hour period.

Contrasting the V-E Day figure is that for the visit of the King and Queen, May 30, 1939, when 22,682 persons traveled on Victoria streetcars. Mr. Harrison noted that, at that time, more persons were using their own cars.

Esquimalt was the heaviest route for V-E Day, topping Gonzales, which usually carries the most passengers.

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Czech Traitor Held As Yanks Take Over Sudetenland

By HAL BOYLE

PRAGUE (Delayed, AP) — Konrad Henlein, traitorous gauleiter of the Sudetenland, and Karl Frank, blood-thirsty Nazi military governor of Czechoslovakia, were taken into custody by U.S. troops today (Wednesday), as German soldiers fled westward from this shattered capital.

Henlein was the Sudeten organizer who paved the way for Hitler's march into Czechoslovakia. Victorious Russian troops paraded through the city amid the wild acclaim of the populace, which lost 5,000 casualties, by Czech account, in the last-ditch bitter three-day battle with the Nazis.

"The dead and wounded are so many they still are uncounted," declared Vaclav Capek, spokesman for the Czech National Committee, in describing the "last major battle of the war in Europe, which ended at 9 a.m. today when the Czech flag was hoisted over the last German stronghold."

MAD BURST OF JOY

The refugee-crowded city—last European capital to be liberated—erupted in a mad outburst of relief and joy after the first reconnaissance elements of the Soviet army had raced into Prague from the northwest at 5 a.m., after a 35-mile overnight sprint.

Westward from Prague to Pilsen stretched a 45-mile column of broken German troops fleeing toward U.S. positions to escape being taken prisoner by the Russians.

Among them were thousands of S.S. troops, whom the Czechs accuse of slaughtering thousands of unarmed boys and men in the last three days, and of herding women and children before their tanks to protect their vehicles from the patriots' fire.

In the 56-mile line of glum Germans streaming toward Pilsen were scores of colonels and personnel, and hundreds of wives and children of German occupation troops.

Thousands of German civilian officials and farmers with their families were in that column, and every German in Czechoslovakia east of Pilsen appeared headed for Germany or for U.S. lines.

FINAL DEBAUCH

As I rode to Prague this morning, it took us hours to push our way through the fully-armed German convoys from Pilsen to the capital, and hundreds of German soldiers who had marked the collapse of Germany's world empire dreamed in an alcoholic debauch were sleeping off their last debauch in the meadows along the way.

As we drove in Czech civilians attacked one group of men and women accused of sniping. Before guards could halt them they smashed one German girl in the face with a pocketbook and cracked a Nazi youth over the head with a tire wrench. Guards closed in and beat back the attackers.

Inside Prague's police headquarters were found the chief Czech commanders directing clean-up operations. Under their order thousands of Czech men

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Ask Same Opportunity Of Education For All

VANCOUVER (CP)—A special committee of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada today recommended that primary, secondary and higher education "be organized as a single whole, and must be within the reach of all children."

C. J. Oates of Vancouver is chairman of the committee, which has a member in every major city in Canada.

The committee's report said "no child showing ability must be debarred from continuing education because of economic disability of parents."

"The mental capacity of the pupil should be the sole determining factor and not the financial ability of the parents."

Was Interned By Japs

Charles Medley of the British Colonial Police force at Hongkong, and now on loan to the Canadian Navy, is in Victoria for the day on business. Mr. Medley was interned at Camp Stanley for 21 months when Hongkong fell to the Japanese. He went to the Far East in 1944, prior to which time he was employed by the B.C. government at the Parliament Buildings.

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A 20th Century-Fox Picture

'Irish Eyes' Smile At Cadet Theatre

Packed with the love songs always at the top of America's hit parade ... with the romance of two hot-headed sweethearts who love as only the Irish can ... and with rough, rollicking fun of Broadway in its gayest heyday. Damon Runyon's "Irish Eyes Are Smiling" opens today at the Cadet Theatre.

The new 20th Century-Fox technicolor musical starring Monty Woolley, June Haver and Dick Haymes, is based on the life of Ernest R. Ball, America's greatest composer of sentimental ballads.

Big Double Bill Playing at York

The York Theatre opens today with another brilliant double bill headed by a gay frantically funny English film "The Farmer Goes to Town" with a cast of English fun-makers headed by Bert Bailey, Fred Macdonald and Shirley Ann Richards. This is a first Victoria showing of a happy hit which is said by critics every where to be more humorous and lovable than the memorable "Sez O'Reilly to McNab." Imagine what can happen when a dresser of livestock, a good farmer, mind you, falls heir to a ladies' dress shop. The hilarity is unbounded.

On the other half of the bill as co-feature is that tempestuous romance of those other lusty nostalgic days entitled "Little Old New York" with a tremendous list of favorites headed by Richard Greene, Fred MacMurray, Alice Faye, Brenda Joyce, Andy Devine, Henry Stephenson, Fritz Feld. It is spectacular entertainment made by that maker of real screen hits Darryl F. Zanuck. Those gaslight days of adventures and violence of love are brought back on the screen to give York patrons who are used to the very best of screen entertainment a great thrill beyond all recent ones.



BETTY GRABLE who is appearing in "Louisiana Purchase" starting today at the Oak Bay Theatre.

ATLAS THEATRE

Matching in dramatic power, thrills and suspense any other picture ever directed by Howard Hawks, "Tiger Shark," Warner Bros.' sensational hit of a few seasons ago comes back to the Atlas Theatre today.

Starring Edward G. Robinson, "Tiger Shark" is an exciting drama of the tuna fisheries and the shark-infested fishing grounds far off the Mexican coast. For the first time in the screen's history, the hazards of the tuna fisherman's life are shown, with a wealth of authentic background made possible by the modern motion picture camera.

Three Saanich boys, Milton Grant, Gerald Rossen and Sidney Norworthy, who Monday left Cordova Bay for Darcy Island in a rowboat powered by a small engine, turned up at James Island safely, Saanich police report.

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"The Walking Dead" At 1.06, 3.36, 6.46, 9.37

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SUDAN
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JON HALL
TURHAN BEY

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ANDY DEVINE
GEORGE ZUCCO
ROBERT WARWICK

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MYSTERY - THRILLS!
CHARLIE CHAN in
"THE SECRET CLUE"
with **SIDNEY TOLER • MARI MORELAND**
Feature at 1.42 - 4.32 - 7.02 - 9.42

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Plaza

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"THE RAINS CAME" TYRONNE POWER
2 BIG HITS!
"THE EVE OF ST. MARK" ANNE BAXTER

DOMINION THEATRE

With the opening of Columbia Pictures' romantic comedy, "The Impatient Years," currently playing at the Dominion Theatre, an exciting new star joins your favorite leading men. Lee Bowman is a name you're going to look for ... a star you'll go for. Co-starred in this story of the return of a GI from overseas to the wife he has known but four days, are lovely Jean Arthur and comical Charles Coburn.

She said she had changed her mind and could never be more than a sister to him, but she didn't return the ring. Macpherson was broken-hearted.

"Never mind," said a friend, "there are plenty more good fish in the sea."

"Maybe so," said Macpherson, "but I've lost my bait."

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At 6.12, 9.15

CAPITOL THEATRE

Humphrey Bogart and director Howard Hawks were examining a 12-gauge automatic shotgun for the new Warner Bros. picture, "To Have and Have Not," a Howard Hawks production, which is now at the Capitol Theatre Friday.

"It's a beauty," commented Hawks, who rates as one of Hollywood's top shotgun and rifle marksmen. "Yeah," agreed Bogart. "It looks all right, but I really wouldn't know about it. I'm a machine gun man, myself."

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'No Potatoes,' Says Wholesaler

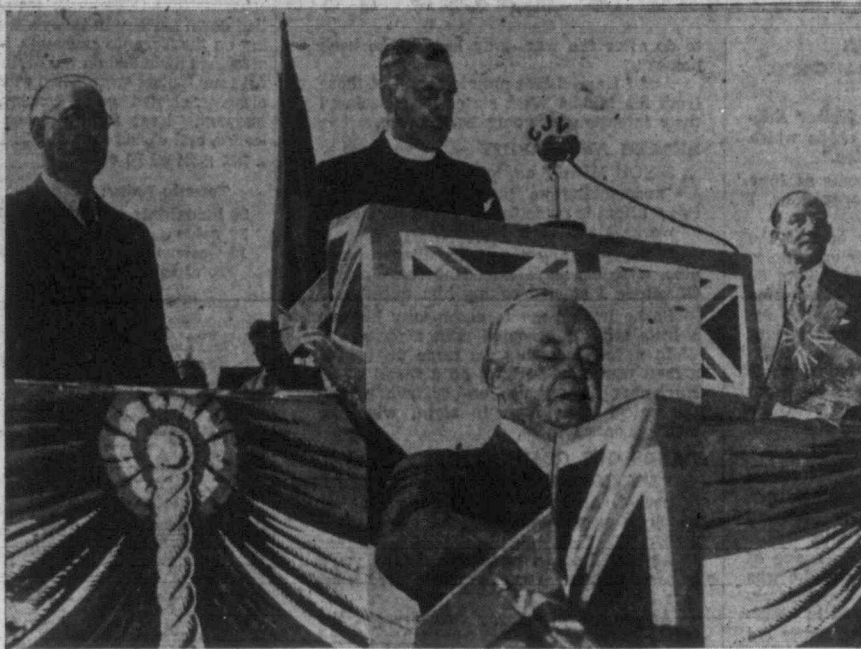
Potatoes are in the news down Wholesaler Row this morning, with reports of none available and none rolling.

"We cannot procure potatoes anywhere in Canada, and we are hoping for government action by May 21 to enable us to bring them in from California," one wholesaler said, as he spoke of the need for a subsidy to allow wholesalers to import potatoes and sell them under the price ceiling.

Enjoying a popular demand at the marketplace are locally-grown cauliflower, spinach, rhubarb and hothouse tomatoes. They are available in quantity, and quality is good, according to the wholesaler's reports. The sugar situation has kept the local rhubarb from the demand it might ordinarily have, for price is very reasonable.

Imported asparagus is arriving daily from Washington, and

Participate in Thanksgiving Service



Among those taking part at the V-E Day Service in Beacon Hill Park were: Ald. E. Williams, chairman of the celebration committee, Dr. A. E. Whitehouse, centre, gave the scripture reading. Mayor Percy E. George, is shown at the right, and inset is Lt.-Col. R. Ross Napier, V.D., who gave the chief address. Others on the platform were: Chief Justice G. Sloan, British Columbia administrator and Mrs. Sloan; R. W. Mayhew and Mrs. Mayhew, Bishop H. E. Sexton, Brig. J. F. Preston, Commissioner T. W. S. Parsons.

a car of California lettuce came in today, with a car of bunch carrots expected Thursday. Celery at the moment is on the short side. There is a little local cabbage on the market, and as the quantity increases the amount of imported cabbage will drop, the wholesaler said. A car of cabbage came in last week from Louisiana, and a shipment of yams from Louisiana is expected in a few days. California green peas are plentiful and enjoying a good demand.

Last car of California navel oranges of the season arrived today, and there is a 10-days' supply on hand, after which time the Valencia will start. Last of the Okanagan apples shipments have come through for the season, and a small shipment of bananas arrived today.

Fortorian cherries from California are expected the end of the week.

Back to Duty

SPO. George Meadmore, R.C.N. V.R., son of Mrs. C. E. Meadmore, 568 Toronto Street, now returned to duty following recent leave here, was with H.M.C.S. Milltown, Canadian minesweeper, which participated in invasion action.

In the senior service five years, he served previously aboard the Kamloops, Regina and Moose Jaw. Meadmore, Calgary-born, attended school at Cloverdale and Mount Douglas High, and was active in local sports.

Listed Missing



PO. John C. Knowles, who was listed missing following the sinking of H.M.C.S. Esquimalt last month. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Knowles, live at 1385 Vista Heights.

A native son, Knowles was educated here and enlisted with the R.C.N. at the age of 17, and has seen service in the South Pacific, on this coast aboard corvettes and minesweepers, and on convoy work on the Atlantic, which included escort of supply ships to Russia.

A Times carrier as a lad, he was employed at Cameron Lumber Co. Ltd. before enlistment. A brother, Cpl. William Knowles, is overseas with the 1st Canadian Scottish. Both brothers were well known in local sports circles, notably boxing.

Knowles' wife, Etta, whom he married in January this year, resides in Sydney, N.S.

The Director of Industrial Relations, M. M. Maclean, has written the City Council, in answer to a resolution favoring a national 40-hour work week, saying that the Minister of Labor is giving serious consideration to a reduction in the standard work week. However, he points out that the matter of hours of work is one which falls within provincial jurisdiction and Dominion action can only be taken in connection with federal contracts and federal employees.

Oak Bay Considers Cheap Lots for Vets

Oak Bay council Wednesday night moved that reduction in the price of tax sale lots for returned servicemen buyers be given consideration by the lands committee.

A letter received from Colwood Park Association Ltd. stated the association was willing to pay the sum of \$1,000 as license fee covering the annual race meeting at the Willows Park.

Permission was granted to the

Children of France Society of B.C. to hold a tag day May 26. Advisory Council, Provincial Civilian Protection Committee Vancouver, approved the municipalities budget for civil defence expenditures for the fiscal year. In amount, \$2,644.80, the provincial group will contribute 50 per cent until such time as the federal government deems civil defence continuation no longer necessary.

Pocket gophers can run backwards through their burrows at about the same speed they travel forward.

Yachting Season Opens With Dance

Season's activities of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club, Cadboro Bay, will open with a dance Saturday evening, commencing at 9. Many members and guests are expected. Initial yacht race, originally scheduled for Sunday next, has been postponed until May 20 to enable participants to get ready their craft.

First hat factory in the United States was established at Danbury, Conn., in 1780.

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International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers has written the City Council saying the wiring department is "in dire need of a larger staff in order to cope with the tremendous amount of work involved, and asking that permits be obtainable any time during the working day."



V-DAY means not a thing to this husky young rascal, unless it is his Daddy's coming home. This little citizen is happy any day so long as he's well fed and feeling fine.

Yet he — above us all — is the one to shout for joy today.

Is it not for him — and for millions of bright faces of his generation — that men have been willing to suffer and to lay aside their freedom — bit by bit — so that one day they might have it complete, secure?

Even so — the fruits of Victory are not alone for those too young to know the privations of war... not alone for posterity.

Here and now, men and women of our generation — scarred and wearied by long, grinding years of war — shall know the blessings of a new-born day.

This new day is for the common man... for greater social justice, for broader opportunity to enjoy a richer, fuller life.

No thinking citizen here in Canada, or in any land touched by war, would believe for a moment that our problems are past.

The prospect ahead is no easy one... Yet it cannot daunt the hardy stock of Canada — the men and women who carved this nation out of a wilderness, who through the years have fought the good fight as each emergency arose — down to the last Victory Loan... down to the last blood donation.

No, the prospect is hard, but a new spirit is abroad. We Canadians, like all our Allies who have fought this fight with us, have been chastened by the ordeal, and we are determined — by the effort of the individual citizen... by the effort of the community — to bring a better, stronger, healthier world out of the raging storm through which we have passed.

This is a day for cheering not simply for victory over dictatorship, but for the assurance we have of the dawn of a better day.

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